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HISTORY AND GENEALOGY

OF THE

John Shepherd Family

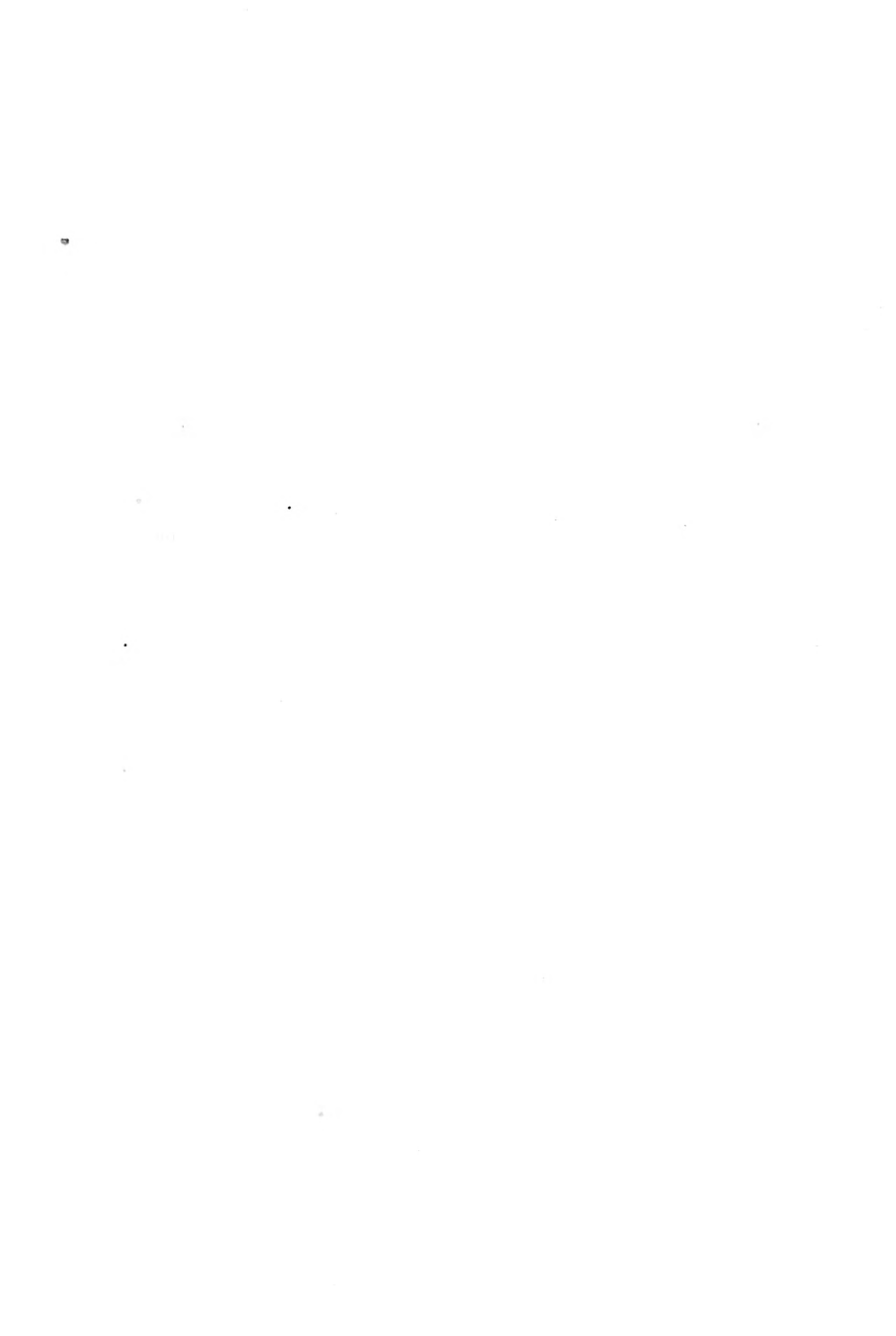


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To the many descendants of
JOHN SHEPHERD,
For whose pleasure and encouragement
the author has sincerely labored,
this book is affectionately
dedicated

Here we have no continuing city,
but we seek one to come.

—Hebrews 13: 14.

For we are the same that our fathers have been ;
We see the same sights that our fathers have seen ;
We drink the same stream and view the same sun,
And run the same course that our fathers have run.

—WILLIAM KNOX.

P R E F A C E

Those who read this history and genealogy of the John Shepherd family may wonder how it came to be written. It had its conception in the Shepherd-Engle Reunion Association, a brief history of which will here be given.

In the fall of 1890, William Engle attended a family reunion held near his home. In the weeks following he frequently spoke of the pleasure it would give him to meet his kinsfolk in such a gathering. One day his daughter, Mrs. Adelaide Carman, said, "Father, I will provide the dinner for such a gathering in my home, if you will furnish the guests." The result was that on December 25, 1891, a happy company of forty of the children, grandchildren of Margaret Engle, gathered in the pleasant home of Mrs. Adelaide Carman in Berea, Ohio. The occasion was so highly enjoyed by those present that it was decided to meet annually, and the Engle Reunion Association was organized that day with W. H. Carman as president, and Mrs. Amoret Enos, secretary.

The second reunion was held in Akron, Ohio, at the home of Mrs. Emily Delong. There were present, seven children, four grandchildren and one great-grandchild of Margaret Engle. The third reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Amoret Enos on the old Engle farm in Royalton and was attended by a large number of the descendants of Margaret Engle.

In 1895 it was decided that the joys of these reunions would be increased by enlarging the membership of the Association so as to include all the descendants of John Shepherd. Hence invitations to the next reunion were sent to the de-

scendants of Jane S. Beels and Rebecca Burroughs, daughters of John Shepherd. This reunion was held September, 1896, at the home of William Engle in Berea, Ohio. It was attended by nearly one hundred of the descendants of John Shepherd. The name Engle Reunion Association was changed to Shepherd-Engle Reunion Association. By this title it has since been known. Reunions are held annually in the homes of the members of the Association.

These reunions did much toward fostering and perpetuating family ties. Interest in the past history of the families was awakened. Who were our ancestors? Where are the many descendants of John Shepherd living today?

To answer some of the many questions constantly arising, a committee was appointed at the reunion of 1908 to prepare a history of the family. This committee consisted of R. N. Hodgman, Charles E. Odell and Mrs. Martha Enos. Sickness prevented Mr. Odell from acting on the committee. Mrs. Enos prepared a sketch of the Engle Family. Upon R. N. Hodgman devolved the task of securing the history and genealogy of the numerous branches of the John Shepherd family. The writer claims no special fitness for the work except a fair share of patience and perseverance that has upheld him through five years of delving among family records.

This volume is incomplete. No one appreciates the fact more than the writer. Had the work been undertaken a half century earlier it might have been better, but even then we question whether it would have been complete.

The work of preparing this book could not have been accomplished without help from many sources. The writer tenders his sincere thanks to the many who have cheerfully and patiently answered his letters of inquiry. Special thanks are due Mrs. Charlotte Engle, Mrs. Maud B. Lane and Miss Zoelah M. Burroughs for their valuable assistance.



ENGLE REUNION GROUP. ADULTS SITTING R. W. HODGGMAN, VIOLA REMINGTON, SIMEON ENOS, WILLIAM ENGLE, ALMIRA ENGLE, SABRINA ODELL, AMORET ENOS, ANGELINE BISHOP, JULIA A. HODGGMAN, ERNEST ENGLE. STANDING—HENRY CARMEN, MRS. CROSBY, KATHERINE ENOS, MAUD LAWSON, ALICE C. STROUD, MARION ENGLE, MARIETTA ENGLE, ADELAIDE CARMEN, UNKNOWN. ZULA ENGLE, ALBERT CARMEN, WILLIAM CANNIFF, B. O. STROUD. THREE IN SECOND ROW —FRANK ENOS, HENRY ENOS, MARTHA ENOS

This volume contains the record of none whose names are written on the World's Scroll of Fame, but it does contain the simple annals of many "who through faith wrought righteousness, obtained promises, out of weakness were made strong, waxed valiant in fight" for truth and holiness. The world is happier and better for their having lived in it.

"Wherefore, seeing we are compassed about with so great a clout of witnesses, let us (who are of the present generation of John Shepherd) run with patience the race set before us," so that when our work is finished the world may be better for what we have wrought.

R. N. Hodgman.

JOHN SHEPHERD

John Shepherd was born on Olmstead Ridge, on the Lancaster road, ten miles from Philadelphia, March 16, 1728. Nothing can be learned in regard to his father and mother; their names and nationality are unknown.

Nothing is known of his boyhood. We know that he served as a soldier during the French and Indian War. He was with Washington's troops at the celebrated battle of "Braddock's Defeat." The Cleveland Leader in an article published recently, says that "John Shepherd was undoubtedly the last survivor of the troops who were present at Braddock's Defeat." He was a sergeant under Washington. After his return from the French and Indian War he married, but the name of his wife is unknown. At the beginning of the American Revolution he was a widower with one little girl. He left his little daughter in charge of a neighbor and enlisted as a soldier in Captain Caleb Armitage's company of a Philadelphia battalion of militia, Colonel John Moore commander, as is shown on page 677, volume 1, Pennsylvania Archives. He fought at Brandywine and during the battle was wounded by the premature discharge of his own gun while loading it. He was also in the battle of Germantown Flats.

In volume 13 of Pennsylvania Archives it is recorded that John Shepherd was taken prisoner, in company with six comrades, while on a scouting expedition. They were confined in White Church, Philadelphia, for some time. They escaped through the efforts of a party of American troops who made an attack on the church at night.

For over three years he served as a soldier in the struggle of the colonies for independence. On leaving the army he sought his little girl, but the neighbor in whose care he had left her, had moved away and he never again heard from his child.

There came from Slygo County, Ireland, a rosy-cheeked maiden, aged 18 years, named Elizabeth Gould. She had come to the new world with her aunt, Margaret Micheltree. Miss Gould taught school for a time; how many years elapsed before she met John Shepherd we cannot tell, but they met at length and she was wooed and won by the veteran of two wars. For a time they dwelt in Blackhole Valley, Pa. Then they moved to Williams Post. For a number of years their home was in Laurel Sock, Northumberland County, Pa. Here several of their children were born. In 1805 he went to Canandaigua, N. Y. Here his wife, Elizabeth, died when his youngest child was a babe.

His oldest son, John Shepherd, Jr., enlisted in a New York regiment on the breaking out of the War of 1812. He was never heard from after he went into the army. In 1816 Mr. Shepherd, who was then 88 years of age, emigrated with the family of his daughter, Mrs. Margaret Engle, to Royalton, Ohio. Mr. Shepherd drove the first team that ever entered Royalton, Mr. Engle's family was the first one to settle in Royalton township.

In 1826 his daughter, Mrs. Jane Beels, with her family, settled in the southeastern part of Parma. From this time until the close of his earthly life he made his home with his daughters, Mrs. Engle and Mrs. Beels. He occupied himself in making the gardens of the two families. His granddaughter, Mrs. Amoret Engle Enos wrote: "My earliest recollection of Grandpa Shepherd is as I saw him working in the garden which he took great delight in tending. It was said that we had the best garden in town while he was able to cultivate it. I can see him now as he sat in the shade of an apple tree leaning on his hoe and resting. He was indeed a venerable patriarch." Another granddaughter, Mrs. Julia

Beels Hodgman, said, "I used often to take him a cup of buttermilk, his favorite beverage, as he worked in the garden."

With regard to his personal appearance and character, his grandson, R. F. Beels, writes: "I remember Grandfather Shepherd as a man about 5 feet, 8½ or 9 inches in height; his weight about 135 pounds. He was of a light complexion. His hair was a light brown and unlike that of most old people never turned grey but retained its color.

"He had a very mild disposition. In all the years in which I knew him, I never heard him complain of the treatment he received from anyone or speak ill of any person. I often heard him tell of war scenes and speak of his being under Gen. Washington. He often told of the battles of Brandywine and Germantown.

"He was strong and vigorous up to 112 years of age. He then gradually declined until his death on January 3, 1846, at the great age of 117 years, 9 months and 17 days."

He died at the home of Mrs. Engle in Royalton, Ohio, and was buried in the cemetery there. On the stone at the head of his grave is the following inscription:

JOHN SHEPHERD

Born

March 16, 1728

Died

January 3, 1846

Aged 117 Years, 9 Months, 17 Days

"A Soldier of the Revolution."

Olonzo Engle, a grandson of John Shepherd says, "There is one incident in my Grandfather Shepherd's life which I recollect distinctly. One morning at the breakfast table father said to brother William and me that he wished us to hurry



GRAVE OF JOHN SHEPHERD

and finish sowing the wheat as our corn was ready to cut. I was 16 years of age at the time and grandfather was 112 years old. When we had finished breakfast grandfather got a long butcher knife and taking it and his chair he went to the cornfield. He worked until the horn blew to call us to dinner. After eating his dinner he laid upon his bed and rested half an hour, he then returned to the cornfield and worked until night. The next morning William and a man named Porter went to the cornfield and measured the ground. They found that grandfather had cut two acres of corn in one day.

CHILDREN.

John Shepherd, Jr., b. 1789, d. in War 1812.

Margaret, b. Apr. 29, 1791, d. Jan. 23, 1871.

Christopher G., b. Mar. 22, 1793, d. Feb. 19, 1868.

William, b. 1795, d. 1865.

Jane, b. Mar. 23, 1797, d. May 27, 1876.

James, b. Aug. 10, 1798, d. June 6, 1860.

Rebecca, b. 1803, d. Sept. 17, 1862.

Isabelle, d. 1854.

Sarah, b. July 28, 1805, d. Nov. 28, 1882.



**Family of
Margaret Shepherd Engle**

MARGARET SHEPHERD ENGLE

Margaret² Shepherd (daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Blackhole Valley, Pa., April 29, 1791. Later the family moved to Williams Post, Pa., and after a time to Laurel Sock, Pa., where they remained until 1805. They then went to Canandaigua, N. Y. When Margaret was about 16 years old her mother died. As she was the oldest girl, the burden of caring for the younger members of the family fell upon her, and well and faithfully did she perform her duty. She was married on ———, 1810 to Robert Engle who was born in Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 23, 1776. We do not know at what time he moved to Canandaigua.

On the breaking out of the War of 1812 he enlisted in a New York regiment and served until honorably discharged. In the spring of 1816 Mr. and Mrs. Engle determined to go west, to Ohio, then an almost unbroken forest, and seek a home. The story of their life from that time is interestingly told in an article written by their granddaughter, Mrs. Martha Enos, and in "Reminiscences of My Childhood," written by their daughter, Mrs. Amoret Enos. We quote from Mrs. Martha Enos:

Robert and Margaret Engle, accompanied by her father, John Shepherd, were the first settlers in Royalton township, Ohio. They brought with them their two boys, Robert, aged 4 years, and William, aged 2 years. They came not on the electric or steam cars as in these days, but in covered wagons, one of which was drawn by oxen, and they drove their cows and hogs before them. On reaching the Chagrin river they found that from that point there were no roads, only blazed trees to mark their course through the unbroken forest.

Cleveland was only a small hamlet with one log tavern. Where now stands the Weddell House was then a cornfield.



MARGARET SHEPHERD ENGLE

On reaching Royalton, they built a shanty on the banks of Rocky river. There was no rumbling of cars or sound of a locomotive to disturb their slumbers at night, but only the howl of the wolf and the hoot of the owl could be heard.

During the fall of 1816 Thomas Francis and wife came on from New York. They moved in with Mr. Engle's family until they could build a house of their own. One day while the men were away the women heard the shouts and whoops of Indians in the forest. They were terribly frightened as they had heard that bands of hostile Indians were roving about killing settlers and burning their homes. The sounds came nearer and soon they could see the Indians on the hills a quarter of a mile away. Mrs. Francis was so frightened that she knew not what to do. Mrs. Engle said she was going to meet them and if they were hostile she would fall first and not live to see her children murdered before her eyes. The leader of the band met her and asked in broken English, "Where white squaw come from? What white squaw want?" "From Canandaigua," was the reply. "Me come from Canandaigua, too," said the Indian. It proved to be a band of friendly Indians from the reservation in New York, out on a hunting expedition. Mrs. Engle invited them to her house. Mrs. Francis nearly fainted from fear as she saw them approaching, but Mrs. Engle called out, "They only wish something to eat, Betsey." The women gave them a dinner and they soon departed with many thanks to the white squaws for their hospitality.

The location on Rocky river proved to be swampy and unhealthful. Mr. Engle purchased land up on the hills nearer the center of Royalton. Here he built a substantial double log house in which he resided until his death.

During the winter of 1816-17 Henry Francis and John Ferris came from Canandaigua and settled near Mr. Engle.

The Coates family, the Spragues, Boyers and others came, until quite a settlement had been made. On November 9, 1818, the first election in the township was held in Mr. Engle's house. Every man received an office, and some men received two offices. The township was named Royalton.

The following "Reminiscences" read by Mrs. Amoret Engle Enos at a family reunion is worthy of a place in this history.

"For several years the early settlers depended upon wild game for meat. Father was an expert hunter and people often came to get him to kill game for them. Mr. Tom Francis had a half grown porker in a pen near his house. Early one morning he came to our house saying that something had carried away his hog in the night. Father took his gun and went with Mr. Francis in search of the thief. After going a short distance they saw where the thief had feasted on fresh pork. Following the trail they soon came upon a bear, fast asleep. Father shot him and they had bear steaks for breakfast.

"There was a deerlick upon our farm where the deer came to lick the salty water. The deer had a runway which they always followed in returning from the saltlick. A hunter concealed near this runway could shoot the deer as they returned. Father used to send brother William to the lick to drive up the deer early in the morning, while he hid near the runway. One morning William went before daybreak, he leaned against a tree to wait until it was light enough to see a deer. He heard a noise like distant thunder, but soon decided that it was bees in the tree against which he leaned. He told father and Robert but they laughed at him as they saw no signs of bees. William induced Mr. Francis to help him cut down the tree. They filled a firkin, four pails and a pan with fine honey from the tree.

"Squirrels were very numerous and very troublesome, as they destroyed much grain. One fall they did great damage in our cornfield. Robert and William were often sent to drive out the squirrels. One morning some of the squirrels took refuge on an old stub standing on the edge of the field. The boys attacked them with stones and clubs. When the stub was cleared they found that they had killed 21 large grey squirrels.

"Wild turkeys were plentiful and roamed through the woods. We would sometimes find a flock of wild ones feeding with our fowls near the barn. One morning while father was away on a hunting trip, a deer pursued by the hounds ran into our yard. Mother caught it by the horns. She called to sister to bring her the butcher knife; mother cut the deer's throat and then skinned it. This supplied us with venison.

"In the fall of 1819 occurred the famous Hinckley hunt. On an appointed day the settlers surrounded Hinckley township and closed in on the game hiding there. They killed 300 deer, 17 bears and 5 wolves.

"It was some time before sufficient land was cleared on which to raise enough wheat for our bread. Then for a time wevil destroyed much of the wheat. One year flour was \$13 per barrel. Money was scarce among the settlers, but flour they must have or starve. The miller had flour to sell and work which he wished to have done. My brother worked for the miller at 50 cents per day and received his pay in flour. Each Saturday he brought home the flour he had earned until he had paid for a barrel of flour. By that time father had cut some of the ripest of our wheat and had it ground into flour.

"Mother was noted as a nurse. One night a neighbor living several miles away came after her. As it was very dark the neighbor walked before her carrying a torch made

from hickory bark. It had been raining and freezing and this made it very slippery and dangerous walking over the fallen logs. At length mother took off her shoes and stockings and made the last two miles barefooted as her bare feet did not slip on the ice-coated logs.

"In a few years after father came to Royalton, the wolves had been driven out so that the settlers could keep sheep. The wool was taken to a carding machine ten miles away and carded into rolls. Mother taught us girls how to spin these rolls into yarn. Each of us had her stint to perform daily, two run (skeins) of yarn for filling or 19 knots of warp. After our day's work was done, in the evening the family would gather about the blazing fire in the great fireplace. We girls had our knitting in hand and mother in her corner was carding wool into rolls or cards to be spun into coarse yarn for blankets. The yarn we spun mother wove into cloth for our winter clothing. The entire wardrobe of the family was woven by her hands. Our summer clothing was made from flax which we raised. Mother and the girls would break the flax, hatchel it and weave it into linen for our summer clothing and for the table linen. Mother wove not only our own cloth, but also much for the neighbors. Often the sound of her loom could be heard till midnight.

"During the exciting presidential campaign of 1840, when "Tippecanoe and Tyler, too," was the rallying cry of the Whigs, and the log cabin their party emblem, the men of Royalton erected a log cabin on the green at the center of the township. The ladies were to serve pork and beans on a great rally day. They wished to have a flag to float over the log cabin. Mother sent a neighbor's girl and me to collect money to purchase a flag. We went around among the neighbors and secured pledges for 75 cents but no cash. Mother and the



HOME OF MARGARET ENGLE

neighbor advanced the money on our subscription paper and on the rally day a flag floated above the log cabin."

Mr. Engle was a great hunter and trapper. He was often gone for days and sometimes for weeks on hunting trips. On his return his horse would be loaded with meat and furs which he had secured. He assisted in the survey of Newburg and Hinckley townships. The exposure through which he passed while so engaged brought on lung trouble from which he suffered for several years, and which caused his death at his home in Royalton, June 3, 1854.

Margaret Engle was a woman of unusual courage and energy, and well fitted to meet the hardships and privations incident to pioneer life. She thought little of mounting her horse and riding to Cleveland, 15 miles away, to procure provisions for the family. The path led through the dense forest and was marked only by blazed trees. Wild animals lurked in the thickets near it.

Not only did she possess courage and energy, but she also was tender and sympathetic of heart, ever ready as has been shown, to nurse the sick, feed the hungry or drop the tear of sympathy for the sorrowing. She dwelt in the old home at Royalton until 1863. She then went to Berea, Ohio, to live with her daughter, Mrs. Adaline Lawrence. She died at the home of her daughter on January 23, 1871.

Besides the two children who came with them from Canandaigua, there were born to these sturdy pioneers eight other children making a family of ten children. All of them lived to manhood or womanhood and all but one married.

FAMILY HISTORY

CHILDREN.

Robert, b. Mar. 28, 1812, d. Feb. 20, 1891.

William, b. Oct. 25, 1814, d. May 9, 1897.

Marietta, b. Sept. 11, 1817, d. July 5, 1847.

Emily, b. Feb. 20, 1820, d. Mar. 26, 1893.

Adeline, b. Oct. 6, 1822, d. Mar. 11, 1907.

Olonzo, b. Dec. 22, 1824, d. Mar. 29, 1910.

Austin, b. Aug. 8, 1827, d. July 27, 1881.

Laura, b. Aug. 8, 1827, d. Mar. 24, 1891.

Amoret, b. April 10, 1831, d. Mar. 4, 1897.

Fidelia, b. July 23, 1835, d. April 5, 1912.

Robert and William were born in Canandaigua, N. Y. The other children were all born in Royalton, Ohio.

ROBERT ENGLE, JR.

Robert Engle³, Jr. (son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Canandaigua, N. Y., March 28, 1812. He came to Ohio with his parents when he was four years old. He spent his boyhood, as the boys of that period did, with little schooling, some amusements, and a plenty of hard work.

In 1834 he went to Michigan and bought a farm in Moscow township, Hillsdale County. About 1847 he sold this farm and took up a large tract, 375 acres, of government land near Mosherville, Mich. Through the industry of himself and sons this was converted into a comfortable home.

He was married ———, 1835 to Lucinda Keyes who was a school teacher. To them were born six children. His wife, Lucinda, died Sept., 1845, leaving to him the care of their six little children. He was again married on December 2, 1846 to Miss Elizabeth Jane Fleetwood.

To them were born ten children making for Mr. Engle a family of sixteen children, all but two of whom reached the age of maturity. Robert Engle, Jr., like his father was



ROBERT ENGLE, SR.

a great hunter. The tables of those early settlers were often supplied with game killed by him. In later years when the country around him was cleared, he used frequently to go to Northern Michigan on hunting trips.

Mr. Engle was noted for his generosity and was a kind husband and father. He died at his home in Mosherville, February 20, 1891.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fleetwood Engle is still living (1913) at her home in Jonesville, Mich. One of her sons writes of her, "To say of my mother (God bless her!) that she was a good woman, does not begin to express the truth concerning her."

CHILDREN.

Ophelia, b. May 8, 1836.

Austin, b. Nov. 10, 1837, d. 1867.

Margaret Elizabeth, b. Oct. 29, 1839, d. Dec. 7, 1893.

Sarah Ann, b. Sept. 9, 1841, d. Mar. 9, 1875.

Louise, b. Jan. 7, 1843.

Lucinda, b. Aug. 9, 1844.

W. Irving, b. Nov. 17, 1847, d. Oct. 27, 1866.

Leonard A., b. June 28, 1849.

Amoret, b. Nov. 8, 1850, d. June 23, 1856.

Charles E., b. Mar. 26, 1852.

Frank, b. Jan. 26, 1855.

Eleanor, b. June 2, 1857, d. Feb. 3, 1901.

Eva, b. April 7, 1859.

William, b. June 15, 1861, d. Mar. 3, 1877.

Robert, b. Oct. 15, 1865, d. Aug. 5, 1907.

Mary, b. Aug. 1, 1868.

OPHELIA ENGLE SHARPE

Ophelia Engle⁴ (daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Moscow, Hillsdale County, Mich., on May 8, 1836. Her girlhood was spent in her father's home. When 20 years old she was married in

Albion, Mich. Her husband died of consumption after they had been married but a short time. After a time she married again and went with her husband to live in Big Rapids, Mich., and still resides there (1913) in the same house.

Her second husband died after a few years of married life. For ten years she remained a widow. She then married John K. Sharpe who was born in England in 1839. Mr. Sharpe died in June, 1909.

Mrs. Sharpe is a member of the Presbyterian church. She never had any children.

AUSTIN ENGLE

Austin Engle⁴ (son Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) son of Robert and Lucinda Engle was born in Moscow, Mich., November 10, 1837. His boyhood was spent in his father's home. He then went away to work. When the Civil War broke out he enlisted in Loomis Battery, Michigan Artillery. While marching over the Cumberland mountains, they came to a place in the road where a narrow path had been blasted out along the mountain side. When they reached this point their horses balked. The battery, horses and all, was in imminent danger of going over the declivity when Austin and two or three comrades caught hold of the gun carriage and held it with all their strength. When help came the boys who had lifted so beyond their strength were unable to move. That night they had to lie on the bare ground. It rained hard and the water ran under them. In the morning Austin and his helpless comrades were taken to the hospital. He remained there some time and in 1864 was discharged as incurable.

Austin lived until 1867 but was a great sufferer until death came to release him. Pieces of bone came from his



OPHELIA ENGLE SHARPE

hip and he wasted away to a mere skeleton. So died one of the noble martyrs to the cause of liberty.

Military Department of Michigan,
Adjutant General's Office.

Lansing, September 9, 1910.

I certify that it appears from the official records of this office, that Austin Engle enlisted as a private in Battery G First Regiment, Michigan Artillery on the 1st day of December, 1861, at Mosherville, and was duly mustered into the service of the United States for the term of 3 years, January 17, 1862.

Service.

Age 20 years. Discharged at Keokuk, Iowa, for disability, March 4, 1864.

Wm. S. McGwrin,
The Adjutant General.

MARGARET ELIZABETH ENGLE STEPHENS

Margaret Elizabeth Engle⁴ (daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born October 29, 1839 in Moscow township, Mich. For twelve years she taught school. She was married in 1872 in Casnovia, Mich. to Philip M. Stephens. They afterwards moved to Big Rapids, Mich., where Mrs. Stephens died December 7, 1893. Mrs. Stephens was a member of the Presbyterian church. She had no children.

SARAH ANN ENGLE STURM

Sarah Ann Engle⁴ (daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the fourth child of Robert and Lucinda Kies Engle. She was born September 9, 1841, in Mos-

cow, Hillsdale County, Mich., and lived there until after her mother's death when her father moved with his family to his farm in Mosherville, Mich. She attended the public school at Jonesville, Mich.

She married Adolph Sturm who was born in Germany, December 31, 1841, and came to this country with his father's family in 1853. Their home was in Jonesville, Mich. Mrs. Sturm was a member of the Presbyterian church. She was noted for her charity, her beautiful character and amiable disposition. She died March 9, 1875. Mr. Sturm died May 18, 1887 at Elkhart, Ind. They had one child.

CHILD.

Ida May, b. May 31, 1862.

IDA M. STURM DENZ

Ida May Sturm⁵ (daughter Sarah Engle⁴, daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Jonesville, Mich., May 31, 1862. She attended school in Jonesville. When she was 16 years old her father moved to Albion, Mich., where they spent two years. They then moved to Elkhart, Ind., where her father was employed in the shops of the L. S. & M. S. R. R. company.

She was married October 3, 1887 to Edward M. Denz. They resided in Elkhart for a few years and then moved to the old Sturm homestead in Jonesville, Mich., where Mrs. Denz was born. They still reside there.

Mrs. Denz is a member of the Episcopal church. She is also a member of Vesper chapter "Order of Eastern Star."

Edward M. Denz was born June 10, 1862 in Sellins Grove, Pa. When a young man he went to Elkhart. He is now in the grocery business in Jonesville.

CHILD.

Ruth Sturm, b. April 16, 1899.



MARGARET ELIZABETH ENGLE STEPHENS

RUTH STURM DENZ

Ruth Sturm⁶, only child of Ida Sturm and Edward M. Denz was born April 16, 1899 in Jonesville, Mich. She is attending the same school that her mother and grandmother attended, and is a bright, fun-loving girl.

LOUISE ENGLE BURNS

Louise⁴, (daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹,) daughter of Robert and Lucinda Engle, was born January 7, 1843 in Moscow, Hillsdale County, Mich. Her childhood was spent there. She was married in Chicago, Ill. to ———Burns. One child was born to them. Mr. Burns died and his widow afterward married Frank Kolebecker. He was a printer by trade and was a proofreader on the Chicago Tribune. One child, David, was born to them. Mrs. Kolebecker died in Nov., 1900.

CHILDREN.

Georgina Burns.

David Kolebecker, 1886—1892.

GEORGINA BURNS TEAGARDEN

Georgina⁵ (daughter Louise⁴, daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the daughter of Louise Engle Burns. She was born in Chicago, Ill., where she lived until after her marriage to Frank Teagarden. They removed to Los Angeles, Cal. Three children were born to them. The names of the children and present residence of the family could not be learned.

LUCINDA ENGLE LINDSLEY

Lucinda Engle⁴ (daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Moscow, Hillsdale County, Mich., August 9, 1844. She taught school in Hillsdale County for eight years, taught one year in Hart, and one year in Holland, Mich. On February 21, 1868 she was married in Hart, Mich., to Floyd N. Lindsley, who was born at Livonia Station, N. Y. They lived some time in Manistee and then at Casnovia, Mich. For many years their home was on a farm at Big Rapids, Mich. In 1910 they removed to a farm near Independence, Mo., where they now reside.

CHILDREN.

Minnie Engle, b. Dec. 16, 1868.

Frederick Newton, b. Dec. 27, 1869.

Ora May, b. Sept. 19, 1876.

Floyd Stanley, b. July 1, 1892.

MINNIE ENGLE KEANE

Minnie Engle Lindsley⁵ (daughter Lucinda⁴, daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born at Manistee, Mich., December 16, 1868. She was married on December 20, 1892, to John R. Keane who was born in——— N. Y. They now reside in Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Keane is manager of the Bour Tea and Coffee company. They have no children.

FREDERICK NEWTON LINDSLEY

Frederick Newton Lindsley⁵ (son Lucinda⁴, daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born December 27, 1869 at Manistee, Mich. On June 15, 1910 he was married to Gertrude Babcock of Lyons, Mich. Frederick is a telegraph operator and their home is at Elkhart, Ind.



LUCINDA ENGLE LINDSEY

ORA MAY LINDSLEY KENNEDY

Ora May Lindsley⁵ (daughter Lucinda⁴, daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born September 19, 1876 at Casnovia, Mich. She was married February 18, 1904 to Louis J. Kennedy of Lakeview, Mich. They now reside at St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Kennedy is manager of the Bour Tea and Coffee company for that city. They have two children.

CHILDREN.

Gordon Andrew, b. Oct. 6, 1905.

Salem Floyd, b. Aug. 12, 1908.

FLOYD STANLEY LINDSLEY

Floyd Stanley Lindsley⁵ (son Lucinda⁴, daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born at Big Rapids, Mich., July 1, 1892. He now lives with his parents near Independence, Mo.

W. IRVING ENGLE

W. Irving Engle⁴ (son Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the oldest child of Robert and Elizabeth Engle, and was born in Moscow, Mich., November 17, 1847. His boyhood was spent at home. Then came the Civil War when the very life of our nation was threatened. We know how love of country led thousands of noble young men to offer themselves in defense of liberty. In March, 1864, when he was but a little past 16 years of age, Irving enlisted in Co. K, 15th Mich. Inf. His regiment was assigned to the 15th Army Corps which was a part of Sherman's army. Irving reached the field just after the battle of Chattanooga. He was in two or three battles before they reached Atlanta and took part in the capture of that city. Then began the famous

Sherman's march to the sea. Christmas Day, 1864, he spent in Savannah, Ga. They were soon on the march through South Carolina and North Carolina. He took part in several battles on this march. He was with Sherman's army in the grand review at Washington. His regiment was then detailed for duty in Little Rock, Ark. Here they were mustered out August 13, 1865. In September they were ordered to Detroit, Mich., where the regiment was disbanded. But the long marches, and the heat of the summer in Little Rock had been too much for the strength of the young soldier. His health failed, and in one year after his return home, on October 27, 1866, his life was yielded up a sacrifice upon the altar of his country. His captain wrote to Mrs. Engle, "He was a noble boy and always did his duty without faltering."

Lansing, September 9, 1910.

I certify that it appears from the official records of this office, that Washington I. Engle enlisted as a private in Co. K, 15th Regiment, Michigan Infantry on the 8th day of March, 1864, at Scipio and was duly mustered into the service of the United States for the term of three years, April 2, 1864.

SERVICE.

Age 19 years. Corporal May 1, 1865. Honorably discharged at Little Rock, Ark., August 13, 1865.

LEONARD A. ENGLE

Leonard A. Engle⁴ (son Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Mosherville, Mich., on June 28, 1848. He was married in Joplin, Mo., on November 18, 1877 to Miss Jennie Robertson, who was born in Jacksonville, Ill., August 28, 1861. They moved from Joplin, Mo., to Leadville, Col., in 1878. In 1881 they removed to Tombstone,

Ariz., where they now reside. Mr. Engle's occupation has been mining and stock raising. At present he is a breeder of Jersey cattle and of Angora goats.

CHILDREN.

Queenie, b. Dec. 1, 1887 in Tombstone, Ariz,

Edgar Ernest, b. Feb. 8, 1889 in Bisbee, Ariz.

Leonard A., Jr., b. Mar. 14, 1891 in Tombstone, Ariz.

The sons are unmarried and reside at home with their parents.

QUEENIE ENGLE WILCOX

Queenie Engle⁵ (daughter Leonard⁴, son Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Tombstone, Ariz., on December 1, 1887. She was married on November 13, 1896 to J. A. Wilcox.

CHILDREN.

Edgar Alvin, b. Mar. 4, 1908.

Hazel Dean, b. June 10, 1909.

CHARLES E. ENGLE

Charles E. Engle⁴ (son Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is a son of Robert and Elizabeth Fleetwood Engle. We will give his history as he told it in a letter to our historian. "I was born in Hillsdale County, Mich., March 26, 1852. I was an active and industrious boy and worked hard on father's 375-acre farm. I was fond of hunting and fishing. My schooling was limited. All of us children attended school in Mosherville, one and a half miles from home. At 18 years of age I was converted and united with the Methodist church at Mosherville. When 21 years of age I went with my brother, Leonard, to take up government land north of us. But we found it too hard a proposition for us as the land was heavily timbered.

"I remained there that winter working on the state road. On one occasion I went on a bear hunt and lost my way in the big woods. I spent the night under a big tree, without fire and with nothing to eat.

"In the spring I went back home and worked on the farm till I was 26 years of age. I felt that I had a call to preach the gospel. In order to prepare myself for the ministry I attended two terms at our home school and then spent two terms at Hillsdale college. But I was prevented from completing my education and gave up my cherished plan. About this time the country was filled with excitement over the wealth of the Leadville, Colorado mines. We heard that fortunes were made there in a week, sometimes in a single day. My brothers, Leonard and Frank, had already gone to Leadville. I arrived there September 20, 1880. For a time I worked for Leonard who was foreman in one of the mines. I then began prospecting and afterward leasing on my own account. But I never found a fortune.

"In the early spring of 1883 I became acquainted with a young lady named Eva M. Holbert, and we were married October 21, 1883. She was an orphan and had come from Iowa with her uncle. She is an earnest Christian worker, being a teacher in the Sunday School, a worker in both Home and Foreign Mission Societies and a member of the W. C. T. U. In 1882 I learned the trades of paper hanger and painter and have worked at them since. I have often regretted that I could not complete my education and enter the ministry, but I have sought to do the Master's work as a Sunday School superintendent and teacher, and a member of the choir and a helper in mission work. I have never used liquor or tobacco. In looks and build I resemble my father, being nearly six feet tall, weighing 150 pounds, and having blue eyes and light hair. I have one child, a son, who is a druggist."

CHILD.

Francis Irving, b. Sept. 21, 1884.

FRANCIS IRVING ENGLE

F. Irving Engle⁵ (son Charles⁴, son Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the only child of Charles E. and Eva Engle. He was born September 21, 1884 in Leadville, Col. He was never robust and strong and was compelled by ill health to leave school during his second year in high school. He worked in a drug store and took a course in pharmacy in a correspondence school. He passed an examination before the state board of pharmacy in March, 1906. Although the youngest member of the class of 38 he ranked second in the examination.

He went into business as a druggist in 1908 at Eaton, Col. He sold his business there in 1910 and went to Cripple Creek, Col., where he is still engaged in business under the firm name "The Engle-Davis Drug Co." He has been a member of the Baptist church since he was 14 years old. He is a fine pianist and for several years has had charge of the choir in his home church. Intoxicating liquors and tobacco have never stained his lips, and he has never uttered a profane word. His mother says, "I never saw him angry." He is unmarried.

FRANK ENGLE

Frank Engle⁴ (son Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Hillsdale County, Mich., January 26, 1855. He lived in Michigan until April, 1880, when he went to Leadville, Col., where he remained until October, 1881. He then moved to Tombstone, Ariz. In 1896 he was

elected member of the city council. In 1902 he removed to Phoenix, Ariz. He was married in 1892 to Miss Pauline Branch, who was born in 1874, at Kansas City, Kansas. Her father was William Branch, a soldier of the Civil War.

Mr. Engle is a miner by occupation and now resides in Bisbee, Ariz. Four children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Engle.

CHILDREN.

George Francis, b. Oct. 23, 1894.

Anna Elizabeth, b. Sept. 7, 1896.

William Bryan, b. June 24, 1900.

Clinton, b. June 19, 1903, d. Dec. 1912.

George Francis, since he was 14 years of age, has been engineer in charge of a stationary engine.

ELEANOR ENGLE CHILDS

Eleanor⁴ (daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the sixth child of Robert and Elizabeth Engle. She was born June 2, 1857, in Mosherville, Hillsdale County, Mich. The story of her life is given by her daughter.

Of the children of Robert and Elizabeth Fleetwood Engle, the young men migrated to the far west and engaged in mining, while the daughters, with one exception, married and reared families in their native state of Michigan. The one exception mentioned was Eleanor Engle, second daughter of Robert and Elizabeth Engle. When almost a young girl, she married Enos Childs, of Hopewell, New York, and thus she was the only one of the Engle family to go back to the old time home in the "East."

In 1875 Enos Childs, then a young man 20 years old, went to Hillsdale County, Mich., from his home in New York State, to nurse his sister who was visiting an aunt in Michigan

and who had been stricken with typhoid fever. Shortly after his arrival he became acquainted with Eleanor Engle, and after a short courtship they were united in marriage on the fifth day of April, 1875. Eleanor Engle was 17 years old at that time.

Four children were the result of the union of Eleanor Engle and Enos Childs, and all are living.

Walstein H. Childs, was born February 1, 1876, at Hillsdale, Michigan. Shortly after his birth, Mr. and Mrs. Childs returned to the young husband's home in New York State and there Walstein Childs and the other three children of the couple were reared. Walstein Childs received his education at Victor, New York, public school and the University of New York. After his education was completed, he entered the railroad business at Niagara Falls. He remained in that city for a number of years, but later he secured a position with the American Steel & Wire Company, at Worcester, Mass., and after several promotions, now holds the position of chief clerk of the invoice division of that gigantic steel corporation.

Walstein Childs was married in 1907 to Miss Emily Marshall, of Nova Scotia. They have one child, John Enos Childs, born December 31, 1907. He has already developed a few of the marked characteristics of the Engle race.

Robert Engle Childs, second son of Enos and Eleanor Engle Childs, was born February 15, 1878, at Hopewell, N. Y. He received his early education at Victor, N. Y. public school and later graduated with honor at the University of New York. After his graduation, he entered the newspaper field and became a member of the staff of the Rochester (N. Y.) Herald. He followed this work for some years, but later entered the insurance field. He has been successful in that line of work and at present is division manager for one of the leading casualty companies, with offices at Rochester, N. Y.

Louis Enos Childs, third son, was born August 1, 1881, at

Canandaigua, N. Y. He received his preliminary education at Victor, N. Y. public school and later graduated from the University of New York with high honor. After his graduation, the young man went West to grow up with the country. He located at Seattle, Washington. Roughed it in the mining and lumber camps of Washington, living very close to nature and sometimes not getting back to civilization for months. He made periodical trips by boat to San Francisco and the Klondyke districts and gradually came to like sea life. He then enlisted in the navy, becoming a member of the crew of the famous battleship Oregon. He cruised on the Oregon in the waters of the Orient for four years, touching at Philippine, Chinese and Japanese ports, and thus saw much of the old world. After his term of enlistment had expired, he returned to Seattle and now has the position of inspector with the Seattle and Tacoma Power Co., Seattle, Washington.

Pauline Eleanor Childs, only daughter and fourth child, of Enos and Eleanor Engle Childs, was born at Victor, N. Y., February 15, 1886. When four years old, her mother died and she became a member of the family of Mrs. Dr. Rockwell, her father's cousin, at Amenia, N. Y., near New York City. She received every advantage, graduating from Amenia High School, entered and graduated from the Perkiomen Preparatory School for young ladies at Pennsburg, Pa., and then entered Mt. Holyoke college in Massachusetts from which institution she was graduated. After graduation, she took up teaching and is now professor of German in the Rensselaer High School at Rensselaer, N. Y.

Eleanor Engle died at Victor, N. Y., February 3, 1901, aged 33 years. She was buried at Boughton Hill cemetery in Victor, N. Y. Eleanor Engle was a pretty, vivacious girl and as she grew to womanhood her happy personality made friends for her by the score. Even in the face of most adverse con-

ditions she was always bright, hopeful and spirited and her sad demise at a comparatively early age was a shock to her many friends.

MRS. EVA ENGLE CAMPBELL

Eva Engle⁴ (daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) daughter of Robert and Elizabeth Engle, was born near Mosherville, Mich., April 7, 1859, and was brought up in her father's home there. She attended school in Mosherville, and spent one year in the high school at Hillsdale. She spent two years in Chicago with her sister, Mrs. Louise Kolbecker, and while there learned the dressmaking trade. She followed this occupation until her marriage on December 24, 1890, to Milligan Campbell, who was born and reared at Butler, Ind. He is the son of Samuel and Anna Campbell. Mr. Milligan Campbell is a successful farmer. Their home is near Devereau, Mich., where they attend the M. E. church and Sunday School.

CHILDREN.

Alethea May, b. Dec. 3, 1891.

Shirley Irene, b. July 15, 1893.

Lillian, b. July 15, 1893, d. Sept. 23, 1893.

Marian Elizabeth, b. Dec. 10, 1894.

Paul, b. July 17, 1897.

Robert Haynes, b. July 27, 1899.

Raynald H., b. Sept. 22, 1901.

ROBERT ENGLE, JR.

Robert⁴, (son Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) the youngest son of Robert and Elizabeth Engle, was born October 15, 1865 in Mosherville, Mich., where his boyhood was spent. Three of Robert's brothers had gone to the mines in Leadville, Col. He was anxious to join them

there and dig a fortune from the mines. When he was 18 years old he and a companion secured an old horse and a buggy and started for the mines. In Illinois they sold the horse and buggy. They pushed their way westward, working in various places, but always directing their course toward Leadville. On arriving there in the spring of 1885 he found that his brothers had gone to Tombstone, Ariz. He spent a year in Leadville and then went to Tombstone. He found work in the mines. In 1890 he returned to Michigan to visit his parents. During this visit he became acquainted with Miss Ara Granger to whom he was married December 17, 1890. Miss Granger was born in Scipio, Hillsdale County, Mich., in 1868. Her father was a prosperous farmer. Her parents were Reuben and Margaret Granger.

Mr. Engle returned to Tombstone and in 1894 his family joined him there. He spent a year in the mines in Mexico. In the beginning of the year 1907 he accepted a position in the Shattuck and Arizona Copper Mines at Bismark, Ariz. While superintending the setting of timbers to support the roof of a mine the ground gave way and in a moment he was crushed to death. His death occurred on August 5, 1907. His wife and their five little children returned to Jonesville, Mich., where they still reside.

The oldest boy, Harrison, started out in September, 1912, to see something of the country. He left Detroit for British Columbia. From there he went to Los Angeles. He was gone nine months and traveled over 10,000 miles. He earned money in each place with which to travel to new fields.

CHILDREN.

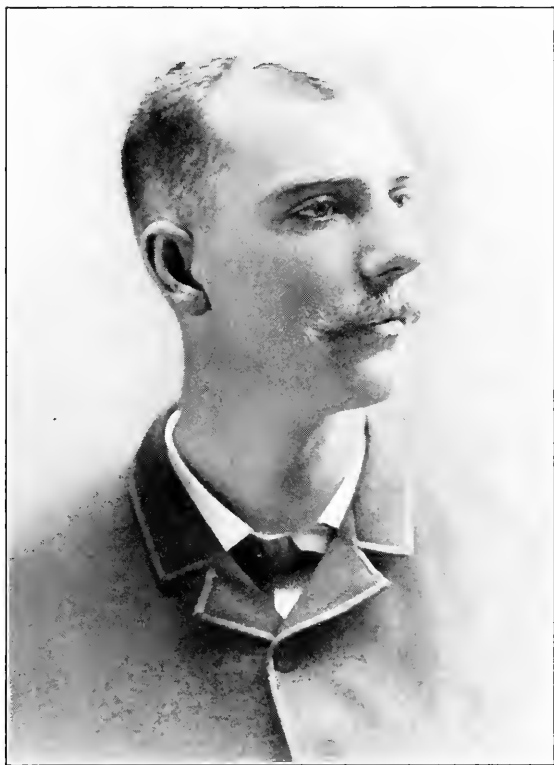
Harrison Otto, b. Sept. 18, 1891.

Frank, b. Jan. 19, 1894.

Albert Louis, b. Sept. 5, 1897.

Harriet Elizabeth, b. Nov. 9, 1904.

Alice May, b. Aug. 14, 1906.



ROBERT ENGLE, JR.

MRS. MAY ENGLE WOLCOTT

May Engle⁴ (daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the youngest child of Robert and Elizabeth Engle. She was born August 1, 1868 on her father's farm at Mosherville, Mich., where her girlhood was spent. She was married March 2, 1886 to William Fisher by whom she had one child. On March 29, 1903 she was again married to Leroy R. Wolcott. They resided in Jonesville, Mich., until 1911, when they went to Jackson, Mich., where Mr. Wolcott works in a factory. They reside at 304 Mansion street.

CHILDREN.

Florence Eleanor Fisher, b. Oct. 11, 1887.

Myron Harvey Wolcott, b. Dec. 4, 1904.

Frank, b. April 2, 1906, d. Apr. 5, 1906.

Theo Elizabeth, b. Sept. 22, 1907.

Carl Engle, b. July 16, 1909.

Ivah Frances, b. Mar. 10, 1912.

FLORENCE E. FISHER MILLARD

Florence E.⁵ (daughter May⁴, daughter Robert³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the daughter of May Engle Wolcott by her first marriage. She was born October 11, 1887, at Jonesville, Mich. She taught school for awhile. She was married to John Hamilton Millard who was born March 21, 1889. They were married September 21, 1909. He is a carpenter. Their home is in Moscow, Mich.

CHILDREN.

Robert Elwood, b. Mar. 30, 1911.

Kenneth Ashley, b. June 8, 1912.

WILLIAM ENGLE

William Engle³ (son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the second child of Margaret and Robert Engle. We will let him tell his history in his own words:

"I was born in Canandaigua, N. Y., October 25, 1814, and moved to Royalton, Ohio, with my father's family in the spring of 1816. Ours was the first family to settle in the township. Of course I was too young to remember things which took place for a year or two, but I remember that Indians came around frequently. As I grew older they were my playmates.

"The first school that I attended was held in a shanty covered with elm bark, and had logs for seats. The building had no chimney. A few months later they built a log school house with a great fire place at one end of the building. Holes were bored into the logs forming the sides of the building. Into these holes wooden pins were driven. On these pins boards were placed, and these formed our writing desks. We stood there to write. Our seats were slabs with the bark side down, into which holes had been bored and wooden pins driven in for legs. As there was no public money they had school only three months in the year. As I grew older I had to stay at home and help my father clear the land and work on the farm.

"In my boyhood days we spent our leisure time much as boys do now. Athletic sports such as wrestling, running and jumping were our chief amusements. I was somewhat of an athlete myself. One day when I was about 14 years of age I was running, boy fashion, in the woods. I jumped over a log and landed beside a beautiful young deer. The little animal bounded away and I started in pursuit of it; after running about 30 rods, I saw that the deer was gaining on me. I



WILLIAM ENGLE

noticed a large log in its course and thought that if the deer did not clear the log at one jump I might catch it there. Presently we reached the log. I made a lunge forward and caught the deer by the hind leg. I took my captive home; it soon became domesticated and was allowed its liberty. It sometimes followed me to school, a mile distant, but always returned home. After a time some one shot my deer and carried it away.

"Indians were rarely seen now. Wolves were common. It was a nightly occurrence to hear them howling around our house. I was 18 years old when the last pack of wolves was seen in Royalton.

"The first election in the township was held in my father's house. Every office seeker was elected, in fact, some of them secured two offices. I was a farmer and remained with my father until I was 25 years old. On January 29, 1839, I was married to Miss Almyra Gordon, of Royalton. We settled on a little farm in Royalton and I cleared the timber from it. In 1848 I sold this farm and purchased land in Middleburgh township. The entire tract was a dense forest covered with immense trees. The nearest road was Wooster pike, two miles away. I blazed trees to mark the boundaries of my farm and blazed a path to the road. I built a comfortable log house, in which we resided until 1866, when I built a brick house. In 1890 I rented my farm and purchased a house in Berea, where I now reside."

Mr. Engle was a fine player on the violin when young. His hand did not lose its skill even in old age, as those who attended the reunion at his home in 1896 can testify. William Engle was a man of sterling integrity and honored and respected by his fellow citizens. For a number of years he held the office of constable. He was a school director many years

and served as township trustee for a long period of time. He was liberal and kind to the poor.

He died at his home in Berea on May 9, 1897, and was buried in beautiful Woodvale cemetery which he was instrumental in securing while a trustee of Middleburgh. His wife went to Marietta, Ill., in 1901, and is still living there in the home of her youngest daughter, Mrs. Anna Kerstetter.

Almyra Gordon was born June 25, 1820, in Avon, N. Y. Her father, O. C. Gordon, was of Scotch descent. Her mother, Polly Howe Gordon, was the daughter of a Methodist minister, who later changed to the Universalist creed.

O. C. Gordon and family moved to Royalton, Ohio, when Almira was six years old. She remembers as among the hardest experiences of her early life her two mile walk daily to the public school.

After the death of her husband, William Engle, she continued to reside in Berea, until December 31, 1902. Since then her home has been with her daughter, Mrs. Annie Kerstetter, in Marietta, Ill. Here in the possession of good health her life is passing happily by. At the age of 93 years she is able to employ her hands with needle-work and embroidery, and delights in making beautiful things for her friends.

CHILDREN.

Celia V., b. Mar. 11, 1840, d. June 17, 1861.

Ellen E., b. May 15, 1841, d. March 28, 1873.

Adelaide J., b. Feb. 4, 1847.

William Ernest, b. April 16, 1851, d. May 7, 1896.

Anna M., b. Feb. 9, 1853.

CELIA V. ENGLE

Celia V.⁴ (daughter Williams³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the oldest child of William and Almyra Engle, and was born in Royalton March 11, 1840. She re-



ALMIRA ENGLE AT 93

moved to Middleburgh township in 1848 and was educated in the schools of Middleburgh and Berea. She was a beautiful girl and loved by all who knew her. Life seemed full of promise to her, but at the early age of 21 years she was called away from the scenes of time when the world was at its most beautiful season, June 17, 1861.

ELLEN ELIZABETH CANNIFF

Ellen Elizabeth Engle⁴ (daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Royalton May 15, 1841, but her father's family removed to Middleburgh a few years later and she attended school in that township and in Berea.

On September 7, 1861, she was married to George B. Canniff who was born in 1836. At the time of his marriage he was a mechanic in the employ of the Berea Stone Company. October 28, 1862, he enlisted in "Company 5, Independent Regiment, Ohio Sharp Shooters," and was under command of Col. Barber. He served nearly three years in this famous regiment. He was engaged in the battle of Lookout Mountain. He was discharged at Nashville, Tenn., June 27, 1865, on account of sickness and disability. He died in 1871. Upon his young wife had fallen much of the care and responsibility of rearing their young children. She was stricken with quick consumption and died on March 28, 1873.

CHILDREN.

William Lester, b. May 23, 1862, d. Aug. 29, 1911.

George Arthur.

Florence, died in infancy.

WILLIAM LESTER CANNIFF

William Lester Canniff⁵ (son Ellen⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Berea May 23, 1862. On the death of his mother he was taken into the family of his grandfather, William Engle. He attended school in Middleburgh and Berea. He was married in Cleveland on June 20, 1883, to Miss Mary A. Minut, who was born in Rockport, Ohio, July 20, 1863. Mr. Canniff writes: "I am mechanical superintendent for the T. A. Gillespie Company and at present am located at High Falls, N. Y. I have followed the contracting business most of my life and have been largely employed on tunnel construction, having helped build the Cleveland Water Works Tunnel, the Cincinnati Water Works Tunnel, the Belmont Tunnel in New York City and the New York Aqueduct Tunnel at High Falls, N. Y.

"I have made several inventions of tunnel appliance machinery. In May, 1907, I was elected a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

"My son, Roy, is an auditor, employed by the Degnon Contracting Company of New York. My son, William, is an investigator for the Travelers' Insurance Company."

Mr. Canniff died August 29, 1911, at High Falls, N. Y., and is buried at Berea, Ohio, in Woodvale.

CHILDREN.

Roy Lester, b. Dec. 30, 1884.

William Earl, b. June 5, 1888.

GEORGE ARTHUR CANNIFF

George Arthur⁵ (son Ellen⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the second child of Ellen E. and George B. Canniff. He was born in Berea, Ohio,

in 1864. His father and mother died before he was nine years old. Until he was fourteen years of age he lived with his mother's sister, Mrs. Adelaide Carman, in Berea and attended school there. He then went to live on the farm with his grandfather, William Engle.

In 1891 he married Katherine Jones and they made their residence in Cleveland. Three children were born to them. Mrs. Canniff died several years ago. Mr. Canniff and his two sons are supposed to reside still in Cleveland, but nothing has been heard from them for some time.

CHILDREN.

Gordon, b. 1892.

Infant, died.

Ralph Philip, b. 1900.

ADELAIDE ENGLE CARMAN

Adelaide J. Engle⁴ (daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born February 4, 1847, in Royalton, Ohio. The following year her father's family removed to Middleburgh. Adelaide was educated in the schools near her home and in Baldwin University, Berea. She fitted herself for a teacher and taught for a short time in the public schools. On September 23, 1865, she was married to William Henry Carman, who was born in Berea, October 1, 1844. Mr. Carman was a blacksmith by occupation. He served four years as a soldier in the Civil War, having enlisted in Edgerton's Battery E, First Ohio Light Artillery, in April, 1861. He took part in several battles, the most noteworthy of which was Missionary Ridge. He was discharged April 20, 1865.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman have made their home in Berea since their marriage and Mr. Carman followed his occupation as blacksmith. He died May 3, 1912. Mrs. Carman is a mem-

ber of the Congregational Church and has always been actively engaged in church and society work. She has worked in the Church Aid Society for 38 years, and is also a member of the Home and Foreign Missionary Society. She is a charter member of Berea Woman's Relief Corps and has held all the offices from guard to president. She was district president three years and inspector one year. For two years she was department aid in state work.

CHILDREN.

Charles C., b. July 9, 1866.

Albert E., b. Oct. 23, 1867, d. Jan. 8, 1913.

Harvey E., b. Nov. 9, 1869.

Alice M., b. Sept. 26, 1881.

CHARLES C. CARMAN

Charles C. Carman⁵ (son Adelaide⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Berea, Ohio, July 9, 1866. He was educated in the public schools of Berea and became a skilled structural iron-worker. He was married May , 1896, to Miss Fannie Hunt of Willoughby, Ohio. One child, a son, Ernest, was born to them but he died at the age of seven months. Mr. Carman now resides at Alsen, N. Y.

ALBERT E. CARMAN

Albert E. Carman⁵ (son Adelaide⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born October 23, 1867. He attended the schools of Berea and then learned blacksmithing. He is now employed in the Berea Stone Quarry mill as blacksmith. He was unmarried and resided with his parents until his death, January 8, 1913.



LAWRENCE GORDON CARMAN



ESTHER DOROTHY PILLARS

HARVEY E. CARMAN

Harvey E. Carman⁵ (son Adelaide⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born November 9, 1869. He gained his education in the schools of Berea and in Baldwin University. He was married 1903, to Miss Ida Crawford. He is engaged in the meat business, having a market in Berea.

CHILD.

Lawrence Gordon, b. May 6, 1904.

ALICE M. CARMAN PILLARS

Alice M. Carman⁵ (daughter Adelaide⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) only daughter of Adelaide and W. H. Carman was born September 26, 1881. She pursued her studies in the public schools of Berea and graduated from the Berea high-school. She took the collegiate course at Baldwin University and graduated in the class of 1903. Miss Carman was a fine musician and has been church organist for several years. On August 18, 1906, she married Robert W. Pillars, who is a traveling salesman for the Kellogg Switchboard Supply Company of Chicago. Their home is in Berea. Mrs. Pillars is a member of the Congregational Church.

CHILDREN.

Esther Dorothy, b. July, 1907.

Infant daughter, b. March 6, 1909, d. Mar. 9, 1909.

ERNEST WILLIAM ENGLE

Ernest William Engle⁴ (son William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), only son of William and Almira Engle, was born in Middleburgh township April 16, 1850. He

received his education in the district school in Middleburgh and at Baldwin University, Berea.

He was married July 6, 1870, to Annie Eliza Brown, daughter of Richard and Elizabeth Mackendy Brown of Berea, Ohio. He worked in stone quarry on his father's farm until 1885. After that time he engaged in various enterprises. He drilled several gas wells in his own township and at Green Springs, Ohio. He went west and was employed for a time in stone quarries in Iowa and Missouri. In 1887 he moved to Cleveland and accepted a position as foreman in the construction of the second Cleveland Water Works Tunnel. When this tunnel was completed he accepted a similar position in the construction of the Chicago Water Works Tunnel. He was afterward employed on large contracts in Michigan and Pennsylvania.

He returned to Cleveland in 1897 and became a foreman in the construction of the third water works tunnel of that city. He was deeply interested in tunnel work and although the work was of so dangerous a character he seemed to know no fear. The shaft where he was employed was 120 feet deep. Over one mile of the great five-mile tunnel under Lake Erie had been successfully completed without an accident when, as Mr. Engle and eight workmen were eating their lunch, there was a terrific explosion in the tunnel. None of the party were killed outright but they were so badly wounded, burned and poisoned with gas that they died soon after reaching the hospital. Mr. Engle lived until the following morning when he died, May 12, 1898. His widow resides in Cleveland.

CHILDREN.

Irving Clark, b. Dec. 14, 1870.

Sherman, b. April 26, 1872, d. May 3, 1872.

Zulah Monetta, b. July 9, 1875.



FOUR GENERATIONS OF ENGLS
WILLIAM ENGLE ERNEST W. ENGLE IRVING ENGLE
CLIFORD G. ENGLE

IRVING CLARK ENGLE

Irving Clark Engle⁵ (son Ernest⁴, son William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Berea, Ohio, December 14, 1870. He received his education in the district schools of Middleburgh and in the Union School at Berea. He then accepted a position with the Consolidated Rolling Stock Co. of Toledo, Ohio, and remained with them one year. Returning to Cleveland he entered the employ of J. C. De-cumbe, a grocer.

On August 20, 1890, he entered the service of L. S. & M. S. Ry. Co. as a freight brakeman. In November, 1899, he was promoted to conductor and still holds that position. He was married December 14, 1892, to Miss Anna Charlotte Rauch of Cleveland, Ohio. Their home is in Toledo, Ohio. Mrs. Engle has been an efficient secretary of the Shepherd-Engle reunion and has done much toward aiding in the production of the Shepherd-Engle history.

Mrs. Engle's mother was Miss Anna Elizabeth Mellert, born in Baden, Germany, March 17, 1850. Her father, George Rauch, was born at Brooklyn, N. Y., July 18, 1847.

Mr. Engle is a member of the Order of Railway Conductors, the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Knights of Pythias.

He is a social, genial man and loved by a large circle of friends.

CHILD.

Clifford Gordon, b. Sept. 7, 1893.

CLIFFORD GORDON ENGLE

Clifford Gordon⁶ (son Irving⁵, son Ernest⁴, son William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born September 7, 1893, in Toledo, Ohio. He passed through the public schools of Toledo, graduating from high-school June 13, 1913.

He entered the University of Michigan in October and will take the course in horticulture and forestry. Clifford has been a member of the Broadway M. E. S. S. since he was three years of age. For four years he has been captain of the S. S. basketball team. He has been a member of the Y. M. C. A. for five years and is on the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. boys' club.

ZULAH M. ENGLE BEALE

Zulah Monetta Engle⁵ (daughter Ernest⁴, son William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born July 9, 1875, in Middleburgh, Ohio. She received her education in the district schools of Middleburgh township and the public schools of Cleveland. She then took a business course in the Ohio Business University.

For six years she was employed as a stenographer by the firm Sterling, Welch and Co., Cleveland Ohio.

She was married on July 12, 1899, to Edwin A. Beale, who was born at Redbank, Pa. He was a foreman at Brown Hoisting & Conveying Machinery Co. and had been in the employ of that company ever since he was old enough to begin work.

Mr. and Mrs. Beale were members of the Wade Park Avenue M. E. church in Cleveland. Mr. Beale was an earnest S. S. worker, and licensed as a local preacher. At last he decided to enter the ministry and is now an ordained minister. He is stationed at Huntington, Ohio, and has charge of the church in that village and also has two other churches in adjoining towns in his charge. He now preaches in three churches each Sabbath. Mrs. Beale is an earnest co-worker in the church at Huntington.

CHILDREN.

Ernest Engle, b. Aug. 21, 1900.

Irma Monetta, b. Sept. 4, 1904.



CLIFFORD GORDON ENGLE

ANNIE M. ENGLE KERSTETTER

Anna M. Engle⁴ (daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) sends this autobiography: "I am the youngest child and fourth daughter of William and Almira Gordon Engle. I was born near Berea, Ohio, February 9, 1853. I lived with my parents on the home farm, receiving excellent home teaching and training, assisting in the household and social duties, attending public school and fully enjoying such environment until my marriage August 27, 1874, to G. N. Kerstetter. Then my married life began at Berea, Ohio. Three children were born to us in Berea. In the fall of 1882 my husband moved with his family to Leaman, Ill., where for some time he was employed as foreman in the Leaman quarry. The quarry company becoming insolvent, for a time he carried on the stone business on his own resources.

During the first 18 years of our life in Illinois we passed through many experiences similar to those which we read about in the lives of pioneers. Our garden and truck crops were frequently destroyed by high water. Pigs and chickens were carried away by the floods; fences were destroyed and we suffered many losses. Buildings, fences and harvested crops were often burned by fires started by sparks from engines on the railroad. Then the numerous snakes were a constant source of worry as we feared that the children might be bitten. We passed through our hardships and adversities successfully, educated our children and enjoyed many of life's choicest pleasures. At the expiration of 18 years we moved to Marietta, Ill., where we have since resided. We erected a modern dwelling house which is now our home.

One of the richest blessings that has come to me in the West has been my improved health. When I came to Illinois

in 1882 my weight was 115 pounds. At this time, 1911, I weigh 210 pounds and enjoy perfect health.

CHILDREN.

Mable, b. Nov. 22, 1875, d. Nov. 15, 1901.

Bessie, b. Aug. 27, 1878.

Roy G., b. May 9, 1880.

MABLE KERSTETTER ZEIGLER

Mable Kerstetter⁵ (daughter Annie Engle⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), eldest child of Annie and G. N. Kerstetter, was born in Berea, Ohio, November 22, 1875. She removed with her parents to Leaman, Ill., in 1882. She was married September 13, 1895, to R. J. Zeigler, a young farmer of Smithfield, Ill. They soon went to Missouri where they purchased a farm. Mrs. Zeigler died there November 15, 1901. Two little daughters were left motherless. Their grandmother, Mrs. Annie Kerstetter, at once took them to her home and is tenderly caring for them.

CHILDREN.

Annie S., b. Jan. 9, 1897.

Zulah M., b. May 17, 1900.

Annie S. won the scholarship offered by the township of Harris and is now attending Macomb Normal School at Macomb, Ill., where she is fitting herself to become a teacher of Latin.

Zulu is a musician and is taking lessons in vocal and instrumental music.

BESSIE KERSTETTER ROSE

Bessie⁵ (daughter Annie⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the second daughter of Annie M. and G. M. Kerstetter. She was born August 27, 1878, in Berea, Ohio. When she was four years old her

parents removed to Leaman, Ill. Here she attended the public schools. She became the wife of A. W. Rose and for a time they continued to reside in Leaman. They then removed to Marietta, Ill., where Mrs. Rose has dressmaking and millinery parlors. Mr. Rose is a carpenter and mason.

CHILDREN.

Grace A., b. Aug. 27, 1896.

Roy, b. Oct. 27, 1899.

Both children were born in Leaman. Grace A. is attending school in Marietta, Ill., and in vacation time is "Hello" girl in the telephone exchange there.

ROY G. KERSTETTER

Roy G.⁵ (son Annie⁴, daughter William³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), youngest child of Annie M. and G. M. Kerstetter, had his birth May 9, 1880, in the Grindstone City of Berea, Ohio. The family removed to Leaman, Ill., in 1882, and he grew to manhood there amid the scenes described in the sketch of his mother's life.

Since he was 20 years old he has been in the employ of the P. R. & W. R. R. Co. as conductor. He married Miss Ola M. Oliver. Their home is in Peoria, Ill. Their two children attend school in Peoria.

CHILDREN.

Charles Albert, b. Oct. 27, 1901.

Thelma M., b. May 18, 1906.

MARIETTA ENGLE REMINGTON

Mariette³ (daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Royalton, Ohio, September 11, 1817. One may form some idea of how her girlhood days were spent by reading the life of her mother, Margaret Engle. When she had

grown to womanhood she found employment in Cleveland. Here she was married to Ezra W. Remington, September 16, 1842. He was born August 19, 1817. His parents came from Vermont. Mr. and Mrs. Remington lived for a short time in Bedford, Ohio, but most of their married life was spent in Cleveland. Mrs. Remington died July 5, 1847. Mr. Remington died April 3, 1854.

CHILDREN.

John, b. Aug. 25, 1843, d. Sept. 16, 1843.

Viola M., b. June 13, 1845.

VIOLA M. REMINGTON

Viola M. Remington⁴ (daughter Mariette Engle³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Bedford, Ohio, June 13, 1845. Her mother died when Viola was two years old. Her grandmother Engle and aunt Amoret Enos took charge of the motherless baby and for several years her home was with them in Royalton, Ohio. When Viola was 13 years old she went out to service in Royalton. In her twentieth year of age she went to Cleveland into the family of her uncle, Austin Engle. Two years later she went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Odell, cousins of her mother, and served them with all the loyalty and devotion of a daughter until their death, in 1905, a period of 36 years. Since 1905 she has done housework and laundrying in the homes of families where she is acquainted.

One who has long known Miss Remington sent us this tribute to her character:

"Viola Remington's life has been one of service and blessing. She is always seeking to lighten the burdens of others and never thinking of her own. She is always trying to make some one happy."

"She came not to be ministered unto but to minister."

EMILY ENGLE RANDALL DELONG

Emily Engle³ (daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the daughter of Margaret and Robert Engle. She was born in Royalton, Ohio, February 20, 1820. There were only a few families in Royalton at that time. Her father's family, which came to Royalton four years before her birth, was the first to settle in the township. School and church privileges were rare. She shared in the hardships and privations of those pioneer days.

We have been unable to learn the dates of her marriages, or of the death of her husbands. From her union with a Mr. Hayward she had one child. The date of her marriage with Tristian Randall we could not learn.

Her sons, William Henry Hayward and James Randall, both enlisted at the breaking out of the Civil War. Mrs. Randall herself enlisted as a nurse. She was stationed at Wheeling, W. Va., for several months. She was then transferred to Cumberland Hospital, Nashville, Tenn., and was matron of this hospital until the close of the war. On Thanksgiving day 1871 she was married to Parvin Delong. For some time they had charge of the California Hotel on Pearl Street, Cleveland, Ohio. They then moved to a farm in Copley, Ohio, where Mrs. Delong died on March 26, 1893.

CHILDREN.

William Henry, b. Mar. 12, 1842, d. 1869.

Delilah, b. Apr. 10, 1846.

James A., b. Nov. 8, 1848.

WILLIAM HENRY HAYWARD

William Henry⁴ (son Emily³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Royalton, Ohio, March 12, 1842. His boyhood was spent in Royalton. When

Lincoln issued his call for three months volunteers at the commencement of the Civil War William Hayward at once enlisted. At the expiration of the three months he re-enlisted for the war in Co. A, 1st Regt., O. V. I. He was married to Miss Ellen DeSee in 1864. He died in 1869 on a farm which he had recently purchased in northern Indiana.

CHILD.

Willis Hayward.

WILLIS HAYWARD

Willis Hayward was the son of William H. and Ellen Hayward. After the death of his father he went to live with his grandmother, Mrs. Emily Delong. After his marriage he went to Three Rivers, Mich., to reside. His mother had remarried and was living at Three Rivers. Nothing has been heard from Willis since 1895.

DELILAH RANDALL CRANKSHAW

Delilah⁴ (daughter Emily³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the daughter of Emily Engle and Tristian Randall. She was born at the old Engle homestead in Royalton, Ohio, April 10, 1846. Her youthful days were spent in Royalton. She was married January 1, 1866, to David Crankshaw who was born April 17, 1839, in Brighton, N. J.

They went to Akron, Ohio, to reside. From 1870 to 1884 their home was in Alliance, Ohio. They then returned to Akron. Mr. Crankshaw was a railroad employee. He died in January, 1906.

Mrs. Crankshaw is a member of the Christian or Disciple church. Since the death of her husband she has resided with



ADELINE M. ENGLE LAWRENCE

pleasures and hardships incident to the life of a pioneer boy. Soon after reaching the age of 21 years he went to Scipio, Hillsdale County, Mich. Here on November 15, 1848, he married Margaret Elizabeth Williamson. She was the daughter of Peter and Peggy Williamson and was born in Richfield, N. Y., February 18, 1831.

Mr. and Mrs. Engle made their home in Scipio. Two daughters were born to them. Five happy years passed and then this happy home was broken up by the death of the young mother, on the anniversary of her wedding, November 15, 1853.

In 1854 Mr. Engle was married to Miss Mary Odell. In 1856 he went to Mattoon, Ill., and was there employed during the construction of the Illinois Central Railroad through that section. He returned to Scipio, Mich., for a time and in 1858 went to Royalton, Ohio.

In 1859 he moved with his family to Igo, Shasta County, Calif., where he made his home. He visited Alaska in 1862, and spent a few months in Oyhee, Idaho, in 1864.

In politics Mr. Engle was a Whig, then a Republican. He voted for Abraham Lincoln in 1860, being one of three men in their town containing 83 voters who dared to go to the polls and vote, as a party of desperadoes had threatened to shoot any man who voted for Lincoln. He was postmaster in his town for many years.

He died at his home in Igo, Shasta County, Calif., March 29, 1910.

His wife died September 15, 1911.

CHILDREN.

Mercelia Agnes, b. June 8, 1851.

Rosa Margaret Elizabeth, b. Sept. 1, 1853.

By Second Wife.

William Shepherd, b. Sept. 1, 1858.

Mary Adeline, b. Sept. 13, 1871.

Olonzo, b. Sept. 13, 1871, d. Aug. 1879.

MERCELIA ENGLE ADKIN

Mercelia Agnes⁴ (daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Scipio, Hillsdale County, Mich., June 8, 1851. When she was nine years old her father removed with his family to Igo, Shasta County, Calif. She was educated in the schools at Igo. In 1869 she became the wife of John T. Adkins. He was born in New Orleans in 1845, his father being English and his mother German. They settled in California in 1854.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adkin purchased a farm at Ono, Shasta County, Cal., where they still reside. Their occupation has been farming and stock raising. Their children were born in Ono and there they attended the public schools.

CHILDREN.

William Shepherd, b. 1870.

Lena Margarette, b. 1871.

John Corliss, b. 1874.

Etta Mabel, b. 1876.

Harry Olonzo, b. 1879.

Arthur Lindsley, b. 1884.

WILLIAM SHEPHERD ADKIN

William Shepherd⁵ (son Mercelia⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the first born of Mercelia A. and John T. Adkin. He was born in Ono, Cal., in 1870. He was married in 1897 to Mary E. Prachle.

His occupation is farming. His home is in Igo, Cal.

CHILDREN.

Albert, b. 1899.

Edna, b. 1902.

Chester, b. 1905.

Raymond, b. 1907.

Pauline, b. 1909.



OLONZO ENGLE AND WIFE, MARY

LENA MARGARETTE LESCKINSKY

Lena M.⁵ (daughter Mercelia⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the oldest daughter of Mercelia A. and John T. Adkin and was born in Ono, Cal., in 1871. She married Augustus Lesckinsky in 1891. Her husband is a farmer. Their home is in Igo, Cal.

CHILD.

Caroline Agnes, b. 1892.

CAROLINE A. LESCKINSKY McDONALD

Caroline A.⁶ (daughter Lena M.⁵, daughter Mercelia⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the only child of Lena M. and Augustus Lesckinsky. She was born in Igo, Cal., in 1892. She attended the public schools of Igo. In 1911 she married McDonald.

JOHN CORLISS ADKIN

John Corliss⁵ (son Mercelia⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adkin and began his earthly pilgrimage in 1874 on his father's farm in Ono, Cal. He was so suited with farming and stock raising that he has continued in these employments on a farm of his own in Igo, Cal. For a helpmate he chose Bertha F. Miller to whom he was married in 1898.

CHILDREN.

Harold Henry, b. 1900.

Alva, b. 1902.

Bertha, b. 1904.

Corliss Edward, b. Jan. 1912, d. May 15, 1912.

ETTA M. ADKIN ARNOLD

Etta Mabel⁵ (daughter Mercelia⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), younger daughter of Mercelia A. and John T. Adkin, was born in Ono, Cal., in 1876. She was educated in the public schools of Ono. In 1899 she became the bride of a young farmer named Henry G. Arnold. Their home is in Happy Valley, Shasta County, Cal.

CHILDREN.

Roy H., b. 1901.

Eva Etta, b. 1904.

Thomas Melton, b. 1907.

HARRY OLONZO ADKIN

Harry Olonzo⁵ (son Mercelia⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adkin and was born in 1879 in Ono, Shasta County, Cal. His boyhood was spent on the farm and he attended the public school of Ono. He married Miss Leonora S. Steele, November, 1910. They moved to Portland, Oregon, where they now (1913) reside. Mr. Adkin is oiler and fireman in a factory employing 200 workmen.

CHILD.

Raymond Frank, b. 1911.

ARTHUR LINDSLEY ADKIN

Arthur L.⁵, youngest child of Mercelia and John T. Adkin, was born in 1884 on his father's farm in Ono, Cal.

He is unmarried and resides in the home of his father. He is engaged with his father in farming and stock raising.

MARGARET E. ENGLE MAUPIN

Rose Margaret Elizabeth Engle⁴ (daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) sends the following sketch of her life: I was born in Scipio, Hillsdale County, Mich., September 1, 1853. My mother died November 15 the same year. I was named Margaret Elizabeth after my mother and was called Margaret Elizabeth by my mother's relatives. When I was a baby living in my grandmother Engle's family my cousin, Charles Enos, met a young lady named Rose Kilbourn. He began to call me Rose and I have always been known by that name among my father's relatives.

Grandmother Engle took me after my mother died. When I was nine months old my father married again. I have a faint recollection of living for a time with my father and step-mother on the farm in Michigan and also of being with my father in Mattoon, Ill., where my father kept the Mattoon Hotel. When my father went from Royalton to California I was sent to my uncle, Peter Williamson, in Jonesville, Mich. Not long after Uncle Peter's wife died and I returned to Grandmother Engle's in Royalton. I lived with her until her farm was sold in 1867. I then went to live with my Aunt Adeline Lawrence in Berea. In June, 1872, I came to my father in Igo, Cal. I was married to William Greenville Maupin at Igo, Cal., November 7, 1875. My husband was born in Davis County, Missouri, March 23, 1842. When he was ten years old his mother and family came by the "overland route" to California. My husband died at St. Helena, Caal., February 19, 1886. My youngest son, Willie, was kicked by a horse and killed March 29, 1889.

On November 6, 1891, I moved with my three boys to Crockett, Cal., where we built us a home. My oldest son was 14 years old the day after we moved there. For several years he was my right-hand man, always reliable and ready

and willing to help me. The boys worked in the warehouse of the California and Hawaii Sugar Refining Co. At length came the great strike, Eppinger failed, the sugar refinery was sold to the sugar trust and my boys had to seek employment elsewhere. I am blest in having three sons whose first thought is for their mother. They have always been kind and true. For a few years after my husband's death I found employment as a nurse and my boys kept the house.

I am a member of the Congregational Church at Benicia, my present home, and have been clerk of the church for several years. I am a member of the organization known as Women of Woodcraft and have held positions of trust and responsibility in the order. I also belong to the Lady Macabees and have held office in that order.

CHILDREN.

George Greenville, b. Nov. 7, 1877.

Marion Frances, b. Aug. 27, 1879.

Chester, b. Oct. 21, 1882.

William Engle, b. Jan. 27, 1886, d. Mar. 29, 1889.

GEORGE GREENVILLE MAUPIN

George G. Maupin⁵ (son Rose Margaret⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born at Jacinto, Glenn County, Cal., November 7, 1877. He attended school in different places where his mother's family resided until he was 15 years old. He then secured employment in the Eppinger warehouse and in the machine shops of the California and Hawaii Sugar Refining Co., and remained in their employ until the great strike which resulted in the closing of the Eppinger warehouse and the selling of the refinery to the Sugar Trust.

In 1898 he went to San Francisco and secured employment as a carpenter. He still resides in San Francisco.

MARION FRANCES MAUPIN

Marion Francis⁵ (son Rose Margaret⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Willows, Glenn County, Cal., August 27, 1879. He attended school in Crockett, but when still only a boy he had to leave school to assist in providing a home for the family. He was in the employ of the California and Hawaii Sugar Refining Co. for a few years. He found employment with the Southern Pacific Railroad Co. in 1903 and is now a conductor on that road. He was married September 25, 1911 to Miss Mabel Ebert, who was born August 7, 1890, in Benicia, Cal. Their home is now in Benicia, Solano County, Cal.

CHESTER MAUPIN

Chester Maupin⁵ (son Rose Margaret⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born at Lodi, Napa County, Cal., October 21, 1882. He passed through the grammar grades in the schools of Crockett and then found employment as a clerk in a store. In 1906 he entered the service of the Southern Pacific Railroad Co. and is steadily working his way upward in the railway service. His home is in San Francisco.

WILLIAM SHEPHERD ENGLE

William Shepherd⁴ (son Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the oldest child of Olonzo Engle and his wife, Mary. He was born in Royalton, Ohio, September 1, 1858. In 1860 his mother and he went to Igo, Cal. to join his father who had gone the year before to seek a home in the land of gold.

His early years were spent in his father's home. In 1881, being 23 years of age, he left home to seek his fortune. For

a few years he sent occasional letters home. The last letter received by his family told them that he was about to start for a new mining field. No message has been received from him since, a period of 28 years, and the family has long since regarded him as among the dead.

He was educated in the public schools at Igo. He was a fine player on piano, organ or violin. After leaving home he played in churches at Ogden and at Salt Lake City.

MARY A. ENGLE PETERSON

Mary Adeline⁴ (daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the only daughter of Olonzo and Mary Engle. She was born September 13, 1871 in Igo, Cal. Her twin brother, Olonz, when eight years old was so badly burned as to cause his death. She attended public schools in Igo. On October 23, 1889, she was married to Walter E. Peterson.

CHILDREN.

Charles, b. July 21, 1890.

Mary Selina, b. Jan. 31, 1892.

William, b. Sept. 8, 1894.

George, b. Aug. 11, 1898.

Dorothy, b. Feb. 26, 1908.

The children with the exception of Mary Selina are unmarried and reside at home.

MARY S. PETERSON BAKER

Mary Selina⁵ (daughter Mary Adeline⁴, daughter Olonzo³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the second child of Mary Adeline and Walter E. Peterson. She was born in Igo, Cal., January 31, 1892. She attended the school in her native town. On December 22, 1910, she became the bride of Carl Baker.



AUSTIN ENGLE

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Austin Engle³ (son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Royalton, Ohio, August 8, 1827. He and his sister Laura were twins. His early life was spent in Royalton. When about 22 years old he was seized with "the gold fever" and went to California where he remained until 1860. He returned to his boyhood home where he was married May 10, 1860, to Miss Mary Cornelia Swift.

He returned to California and engaged in gold mining until 1866. He came to Cleveland and with a partner carried on the grocery business under the firm name of Engle and Dempcy. After a few years they sold their grocery and went into the lime business. Some time later Mr. Dempcy withdrew from the firm and Mr. Billing became a member of the firm. The firm of Engle and Billings failed in 1875.

Mr. Engle thought he knew of a mining claim in California that had not been worked out and so went there to try to retrieve his fortune. He died there July 27, 1881, and his body was buried in the cemetery at Igo, Shasta County, Cal.

The following obituary was published in a Shasta County paper:

In Shasta, last Saturday morning, Austin Engle passed from the troubles of this life to that mysterious realm to which myriads have gone before, and from whence no message has ever been sent back to mankind surviving on this planet.

Austin Engle was born at Royalton, Ohio, and at the time of his death was nearly 54 years of age. In 1852 he arrived in California and settled at Horsetown; from there he went to the cotton wood country and finally engaged in commercial business at Roaring River where he remained until 1866. Having accumulated about \$20,000, he returned to his native state and there engaged in business speculations which

resulted disastrously from a financial point of view. Returning to California about four years ago, he has since been engaged in mining and prospecting until his health failed entirely, and now the clouds of the Golden State hide him from mortal vision forever. The deceased leaves a wife and four children in Cleveland, Ohio, and many relatives there and here to mourn his death.

Mr. Engle was a member of the Franklin Avenue Church of Christ of Cleveland. He was also a member of the I. O. O. F. and of the Knights of Pythias.

His wife, Mary Cornelia Swift, was born at Royalton, Ohio, December 28, 1839. She was the daughter of William and Mary B. Payne Swift. Mrs. Engle died in Cleveland, March 20, 1895.

CHILDREN.

Marion, b. Aug. 4, 1862.

Marietta, b. Aug. 4, 1862.

Albert DeHaven, b. June 5, 1864, d. April 5, 1880.

Sonella Jessie, b. Dec. 26, 1866.

Lillian Cornelia, b. April 4, 1868, d. Jan. 12, 1910.

Albert DeHaven was born in Igo, Cal. The family moved to Cleveland, Ohio, when he was two years old. He attended school until he was 14 years old when he went to work. He died just two months before he was sixteen.

MARION ENGLE AND MARIETTA ENGLE

Marion and Marietta⁴ (daughters of Austin³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) were born August 4, 1862, in Igo, Shasta County, Cal. Their father came in 1866 with his family to Cleveland, Ohio, and their home has since been in that city. They graduated from the public schools of Cleveland.

Marion became a milliner. Marietta chose to become a stenographer. They have been engaged in these occupations.

Both Marion and Marietta are members of the Euclid Avenue Christian Church. Their sister, Lillian, left two little girls when she died. Marion and Marietta are lovingly caring for them. Marion is now housekeeper for the family while Marietta is employed as a stenographer.

SONELLA JESSIE HARRIS

Sonella Jessie Engle⁴ (daughter Austin³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Cleveland, Ohio, December 26, 1866. She was educated in the schools of Cleveland. She learned the millinery trade and followed that occupation for some time.

She was married August 31, 1895, to Frank R. Harris of Cleveland. One child, that died in infancy, was born to them.

Their home is in Cleveland.

LILLIAN ENGLE BOESCH

Lillian Cornelia⁴ (daughter Austin³, son Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the youngest of the children of Austin and Mary Cornelia Engle. She was born in Cleveland, Ohio, April 14, 1868. She graduated from the Cleveland schools and taught for a while in the public schools. She belonged to the Euclid Avenue Christian Church.

She became the wife of John F. Boesch of Brooklyn, Ohio, on June 7, 1904.

They resided in South Brooklyn, Ohio. They then made their home in Cleveland. Mrs. Boesch died January 12, 1910, leaving three little ones motherless.

CHILDREN.

Frances Marion, b. Mar. 21, 1905.

Ruth Cornelia, b. July 11, 1907.

Almon John, b. Nov. 3, 1909, d. Sept. 3, 1910.

LAURA ENGLE

Laura³ (daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) daughter of Margaret and Robert Engle, Sr., was born August 8, 1827, in Royalton, Ohio. She was twin sister to Austin Engle.

School terms were short and school privileges few in her childhood. But a pioneer home was a good place in which to train a child, and there were many pleasures as well as many privations. When she grew to womanhood she was for several years employed as a seamstress in the homes of wealthy people in Cleveland. Ill health compelled her to give up work and return to Royalton. For 30 years her home was with the family of her sister, Mrs. Amoret Enos. During the last two years of her life she found a home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fitzwater, deaf mutes, in Royalton. During more than 30 years she suffered from consumption. Miss Engle was a member of the Disciple church in Royalton.

She was of an amiable, affectionate disposition and bore up very patiently during the long years of suffering and deprivation. She died March 24, 1891.

AMORET ENGLE ENOS

Amoret³ (daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the ninth of the children of Margaret and Robert Engle, Sr. Her earthly life began in the log home of her father in Royalton, Ohio, April 10, 1831. Her childhood was spent amid the hardships and privations and also the pleasures of a pioneer home. She fitted herself to teach and taught for a time in the schools of Royalton. She was married Dec. 16, 1850, to Simeon Enos of Royalton, who was born Feb. 2, 1823. Mr. Enos was a cooper and followed that occupation so long as he was able to work. Mr. and Mrs. Enos built their home on



AMORET ENGLE ENOS

a part of the Engle farm not far from the house where Mrs. Enos was born. Mrs. Enos was a member of the Disciple church and was a sincere Christian. She was a woman of much natural ability, not self-assertive in manner, but amiable and pleasing.

She died March 4, 1897, in the hope of a blissful immortality. Her husband died May 31, 1894.

CHILDREN.

Charles, b. Aug. 28, 1851.

Frank, b. Oct. 11, 1855.

Henry A., b. Mar. 30, 1862.

Simeon E., b. Sept. 24, 1864.

CHARLES ENOS

Charles⁴ (son Amoret³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the eldest child of Amoret and Simeon Enos, and was born Aug. 28, 1851, at Royalton, Ohio. He attended the public schools there. He was married in Feb., 1880, to Miss Katherine Naaf, who was born Feb. 25, 1855, in Brooklyn, Ohio. She was the daughter of John and Barbara Naaf.

Mr. Enos resided in Royalton until 1902 with the exception of two years spent in Parma, the adjoining township. In 1902 he moved to Cleveland, Ohio, where he now resides.

Mr. Enos was a butcher by occupation until failing health compelled him to retire from business about 1906. He was inspector of meats for the city of Cleveland for a few years.

CHILDREN.

Robert, b. May 7, 1881.

Shirley Barbara, b. Oct. 3, 1882.

Amoret Katherine, b. June 18, 1893.

Gertrude, b. June 18, 1893, d. July 20, 1895.

ROBERT ENOS

Robert⁵ (son Charles⁴, son Amoret³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), the first child of Charles and Kate Enos, was born in Royalton, Ohio, May 7, 1881. He attended public school in Parma and Royalton. After leaving school he entered the employ of the Cuyahoga Telephone Co., and is still with that company. He was married in March, 1910, to Miss Ada Stenz, of Cleveland. They reside in Cleveland.

CHILD.

Elizabeth, b. March 15, 1911.

SHIRLEY BARBARA ENOS

Shirley B.⁵ (daughter Charles⁴, son Amoret³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the oldest daughter of Charles and Kate Enos. She was born Oct. 3, 1882, in Royalton, Ohio. She passed through the grammar and high schools of Cleveland, graduating from Lincoln High in 1901, and from the Cleveland Normal School in 1903. Since 1903 she has been a successful teacher in the Cleveland schools. Miss Enos is a skillful pianist.

She resides with her parents in Cleveland.

AMORET KATHERINE ENOS

Amoret K.⁵ (daughter Charles⁴, son Amoret³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), the youngest child of Charles and Kate Enos, was born in Parma, Ohio, June 18, 1893. Her parents returned to Royalton, Ohio, in 1895. They moved to Cleveland in 1902. Amoret was educated in the schools of Cleveland. She graduated from Lincoln High School in June, 1912.

FRANK ENOS

Frank⁴ (son Amoret³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), the second son of Amoret and Simeon Enos, was born in Royalton, Ohio, Oct. 11, 1855. After his school days ended he learned the wagonmaker's trade.

He was married in Hinckley, Ohio, Nov. 25, 1883, to Miss Martha Wyatte, who was born in Royalton, July 15, 1853. Miss Wyatte taught school for eight years previous to her marriage.

They lived in Brecksville, Ohio, from April, 1884, to April, 1887. They spent a year in Berea, Ohio. From there they went to Oakland, Md., on the crest of the Alleghany Mountains, where they resided five years. They returned to Ohio in 1893, settling at West Richfield, where they still reside. As they own their home and a little farm there they will doubtless spend the rest of their days in West Richfield.

They were for several years actively engaged in church and Sunday school work. They are members of the Grange.

They have no children.

HENRY A. ENOS

Henry A.⁴ (son Amoret³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the third child of Amoret and Simeon Enos. He was born Mar. 30, 1862, in Royalton, Ohio, where he attended the public school. For a time he and Charles Enos were in partnership in the butcher business. In 1894 he was married to Miss Ellen Manney, but five years later they separated. They had no children. In 1900 Mr. Enos entered the service of the Cleveland Electric R. R. Co., and is still in their employ as motorman. He resides with his brother Charles Enos, in Cleveland.

SIMEON E. ENOS

Simeon E.⁴ (son Amoret³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the youngest son of Amoret and Simeon Enos. He was born Sept. 24, 1864, in Royalton, Ohio. His life so far has been spent in that place. He attended the district school until old enough to learn blacksmithing and has worked at the blacksmith's trade since.

He was married April 28, 1898, to Miss Marcia A. Zerbe, who was born in Royalton, Sept. 29, 1872. She is the daughter of William and Sarah Thorpe Zerbe. Mr. and Mrs. Enos live on a part of the original farm of Robert Engle.

They have no children.

FIDELIA AGNES ENGLE LAWSON

Fidelia Agnes Engle³ (daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Royalton, Ohio, July 23, 1835. She was the youngest child of Margaret and Robert Engle. Her early life was spent in the home of her parents amid such scenes as are described in the life of her mother. In 1858 she went to Iowa to visit her half brother, Lindsley Engle. There she became acquainted with Henry Lawson to whom she was married Mar. 6, 1859. Henry Lawson was born in London, England, July 12, 1823. When nineteen years of age he came to the United States. During the Mexican War he served as a private under Gen. John C. Fremont. Mr. Lawson was in northern California when gold was discovered. He and a pardner worked a gold mine for a time. He then moved to Iowa, where he married Fidelia Engle.

Their oldest child, Austin, was born in Royalton, Ohio, while Mrs. Lawson was visiting her mother.

In 1866 Mr. Lawson moved with his family to Berea, Ohio. Here their oldest child, Austin, was drowned July 12,

1867, in a pond in one of the Berea stone quarries. In 1872 Mr. Lawson purchased a farm in Sheffield township, Ashland County, Ohio. Here they resided until 1877 when they returned to Berea.

A few years later they moved to Cleveland, Ohio, where Mr. Lawson died in 1890. In 1892 Mrs. Lawson and family went to Los Angeles, Cal. In 1901 she purchased a farm near Highland, Cal., where the family still resides. Mrs. Lawson died April 5, 1912.

CHILDREN.

Austin, b. Feb. 2, 1860, d. July 12, 1867.

Adaline M., b. June 16, 1862.

Margaret L., b. Dec. 13, 1864.

Maud A., b. Mar. 20, 1867, d. Oct. 17, 1902.

Jesse, b. Aug. 19, 1875.

ADALINE M. LAWSON⁴

Adaline M.⁴, daughter of Fidelia and Henry Lawson was born in Iowa, June 16, 1862. Her life from 1866 to 1892 was spent in Berea, Sheffield and Cleveland, Ohio. Since then she has resided in or near Los Angeles, Cal. She is employed in a laundry in Los Angeles, and her home is with her mother's family in Highland.

MARGARET L. LAWSON GOUDY.

Margaret L. Lawson⁴ (daughter Fidelia³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Dec. 13, 1864, in Iowa. The family moved to Berea, Ohio, in 1866 and from that time until 1892 her home was for six years in Berea, five years in Sheffield, and the remainder of the time in Berea and Cleveland. In 1892 her mother's family moved to Los Angeles, Cal. Here in 1895 she was married to John F. Goudy. He proved to be intemperate and she was divorced from him. She is a dressmaker by occupation and is employed in Los Angeles. Her home is with the family in Highland.

MAUDE A. LAWSON WEBBER

Maud A. Lawson⁴ (daughter Fidelia³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Berea, Ohio, March 20, 1867. She spent her early years in Berea, Sheffield, and Cleveland, Ohio. She was educated in the schools of Berea and Cleveland. She was beautiful of feature and lovely in character. In 1892 her mother and family moved to Los Angeles, Cal. Here she was married July 16, 1900, to George A. Webber. Her married life was brief. She died at her home in Los Angeles, Oct. 17, 1902.

JESSE LAWSON

Jesse Lawson⁴ (son Fidelia³, daughter Margaret², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Aug. 19, 1875, in Sheffield, Ashland County, Ohio. He was the youngest child of Fidelia Agnes and Henry Lawson. His parents moved to Berea in 1877, and a few years later to Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Lawson died in 1890, and in 1892 the family moved to Los Angeles, Cal. In 1901 his mother purchased a farm in Highland, near Los Angeles, and here the children still reside. Jesse is a farmer by occupation and his work is found in the orange groves near Highland.

He is unmarried.

Finis, Engle Family.

The Shepherd Family



CHRISTOPHER GOULD SHEPHERD

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Christopher Gould Shepherd² (son John Shepherd¹), was born Mar. 22, 1793, in Blackhole Valley, Pa. Not long after his birth the family removed to Laurel Sock, Northumberland County, Pa., where they lived until 1805. In that year they moved to Canandaigua, N. Y. He grew to manhood in Canandaigua. He and his brothers visited their father in Royalton, Ohio, about 1818. They did not like Royalton and so journeyed westward. Their father and sister heard nothing from them from that time until 1845, when they learned through a stranger that they were living in southern Indiana. Christopher lived somewhere in southern Ohio for several years. He was a member of the Ohio State Militia. On July 10, 1828, Gov. Allen Trimble appointed him Ensign of the 8th Company, 2nd Regiment, 1st Brigade, 1st Division.

On March 7, 1829, Gov. Trimble appointed him lieutenant. In 1832 Gov. Duncan McArthur gave him a commission as captain.

When he left Ohio and went to Indiana we cannot learn, but the deed of the farm which he purchased there is dated in 1836. This farm of 60 acres he purchased for \$100. It is situated in Jackson township, Shelby County, Ind. He lived on this farm until the time of his death. He was married Dec. 25, 1819, to Miss Almina Wakefield. To this union was born Caroline R. Shepherd, Sept. 21, 1820. She was an invalid, being subject to epileptic fits, and died unmarried, Nov. 13, 1842.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd adopted a girl, Mary Elnora Ostermier, who was born July 28, 1848. She married Samuel Wilson. Mrs. Wilson died Jan. 29, 1902, and her husband died a few weeks later. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson left a daughter who married L. N. Record, a "dealer in coal, wood and feed,"

in Edinburgh, Ind. To Mr. Record we are indebted for much of this history of Mr. Shepherd.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd were active members of the M. E. church. Mr. Shepherd died Feb. 19, 1868. His wife, Almira, died July 3, 1873. They are buried in the cemetery at Auburn, Ind.

WILLIAM SHEPHERD

William Shepherd², son of John Shepherd¹, was born in 1795, at Williams Post, Pa. His home was at this place and at Laurel Sock, Pa., when his father moved to Canandaigua, N. Y. Here William grew to manhood.

About 1818 William and his two brothers visited their father and their sister, Mrs. Margaret Engle, in Royalton, Ohio. The young men were not satisfied with Ohio and continued their journey westward on foot to Cincinnati and southern Indiana. Mr. Shepherd purchased a farm in Southern Indiana and on this farm he resided until his death in 1865.

Mr. Shepherd was an intelligent, enterprising man. He was not a member of any church but one who knew him well writes that he never went to bed without saying his prayers.

He married Elizabeth Houston and to them were born seven children.

CHILDREN.

Thomas.

John.

Henry.

William.

Jane.

Martha.

Mary.

The dates of birth, marriage and death could not be learned.



WM. SHEPHERD (Before James)

Thomas died in one of the southern states while still a young man.

John married Miss Louisia Dunham. They had no children.

Henry married, but the name of his wife is unknown to us. Two sons and two daughters were born to them.

William took unto himself a wife and six sons were born to them. But there is no record of the children.

Martha, daughter of William Shepherd², had one son, but no record is found. Martha died about 1885.

Mary, youngest child of William Shepherd², died young and unmarried.

To Jane were born five children. Jane died in 1898. The following is the record of her children:

William, who died aged 20 years.

Robert, who died aged 10 years.

Sampson, died, age unknown.

Jane, who is still living.

Henry. See record below.

Jane died in 1898.

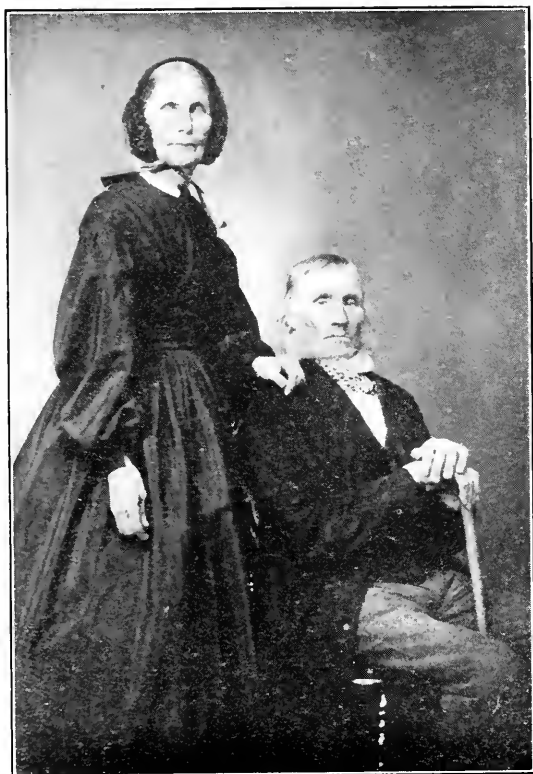
HENRY SHEPHERD

Henry⁴ (son Jane³, daughter William², son John Shepherd¹), was the youngest of the children of Jane Shepherd³. He married and lived near Dillsboro, Ind. Six children were born to them. The first, a son, named William Everett; a daughter, named Blanche, and four daughters whose names are unknown. Blanche and her sister next younger are married. The three younger girls live with their mother in Dillsboro. Their father, Henry Shepherd, died 1898.

BLANCHE SHEPHERD CALVERT

Blanche⁵ (daughter Henry⁴, son Jane³, daughter William², son John Shepherd¹), is the second child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shepherd. She was born near Dillsboro, Ind. She became the wife of Benj. J. Calvert. Mr. Calvert is the editor of a paper published in Dillsboro. They reside in Dillsboro, Ind.

**Family of
Jane Shepherd Beels**



JANE SHEPHERD BEELS
AND HUSBAND
ABNER BEELS

JANE SHEPHERD BEELS

Jane² (daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Laurel Sock, Pa., March 23, 1797. The school advantages of that time were few, but by her energy and perseverance she became proficient in "the three R's," which was considered all that was necessary for girls of that period.

There is little to record of her girlhood. In 1805 her father removed to Canandaigua, N. Y., and her mother died a little later. From her union with S. S. Davis in 1814 there was born a son, Seymour S. Davis. Of the trials and losses of the three years following we have no record. On May 3, 1818 she was married to Abner S. Beels, of Canandaigua, N. Y.

Her father and sisters had emigrated to Royalton, Ohio, in 1816. In January, 1821, Dan Frances, one of the earliest settlers of Royalton, returned to Canandaigua on a visit. He met Mr. and Mrs. Beels and urged them to go to Ohio with him. He offered to take them in his sled on his return. Alured by the hope of securing a home in the west as well as a desire to rejoin Mrs. Beels' father and sisters, they decided to go. Mr. Frances delayed his return one week to give them time to dispose of their stock, farm implements and such household goods as they could not pack in Mr. Frances' sled. The journey from Canandaigua to Royalton was accomplished and they entered upon the hardships of a pioneer life.

They resided in Royalton until 1826, when Mr. Beels purchased a farm in the northern part of Parma on the state road. In the spring of 1832 he sold this farm and purchased one in the southern part of Parma, a half mile east of the state road. There were but six or seven families in the southeastern quarter of the township at that time. During the ensuing five years this section was settled by brave and hardy pioneers from New York and New Jersey. A school was

established, a church was organized with its Sabbath school and Saturday evening prayer meeting.

Here, with this environment, Mr. and Mrs. Beels reared to manhood and womanhood their family of five sons and three daughters. The following obituary of Mr. Beels, written by the Rev. James Ashley, who was his pastor during the closing years of his life, was copied from the Cassopolis Vigilant:

"Departed this life, Oct. 21, 1876, with a hope of blissful immortality, at the home of his youngest daughter, Mrs. George L. Stevens, of Adamsville, Cass Co., Mich., Mr. Abner S. Beels, aged 83 years."

The deceased was born in Herkimer Co., N. Y., Aug. 27, 1793, and was married to Mrs. Jane Davis May 3, 1818. In the year 1821 they settled in the vicinity of Cleveland, Ohio.

Since 1865 they had spent most of the time with their children in Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois and Michigan. After the death of his wife, which occurred on May 27, he waited the call of his Master to come home, feeling that the world had lost its charm and that the attractions of the heavenly land were growing brighter and stronger as he drew nearer the river of Death. His life was that of a Christian, and he died as Christians only can die, in triumph and victory.

The Advertiser, Berea, Ohio, for Nov. 25, 1876, contained the following:

One by one the pioneers of this county are passing to the unseen, eternal world.

Abner S. Beels, one of the early settlers of Parma, died Oct. 21, aged 83 years. For some time he had resided with his daughter, Mrs. George L. Stevens, in Adamsville, Mich., where his death occurred.

At the time when Mr. Beels came to Parma, in 1826, the township was almost an unbroken wilderness. A few families

had settled in the western part, and there were three or four families on the eastern line. But Mr. Beels' family was the only one on the State road. Wild animals abounded in the forest around them. Deer were frequently shot. Some of the denizens of the forest were not very desirable neighbors. Bears were frequently seen, and rattlesnakes were common.

Little do the people of today realize of the trials and dangers attending pioneer life. Of the hardships and privations endured by Mr. Beels it is unnecessary to speak as they were similar to those passed through by all of our early settlers. He lived to see the little village near him become a great city—Cleveland; and to see cultivated fields and comfortable homes take the place of the forest. Few men took a more active part than he in bringing about this change. Many a forest monarch fell before his sturdy arm.

His faithful wife, who for 58 years shared with him the trials and pleasures of life, died last May. As so often happens in the case of aged people, their separation has been brief. Both died in the full assurance of a blessed immortality beyond the tomb.

CHILDREN.

Seymour S. Davis, b. Canandaigua, Sept. 23, 1815.

Elizabeth Ruth, b. Canandaigua, Jan. 22, 1819.

Alonzo, b. Canandaigua, Nov. 4, 1820.

Julia Ann, b. Royalton, May 10, 1823.

Abner S., b. Royalton, July 18, 1825.

Jane Elizabeth, b. Parma, Aug. 19, 1827.

William Gould, b. Parma, May 4, 1830.

Reuben Franklin, b. Parma, Aug. 12, 1832.

Nelson G., b. Parma, June 9, 1836.

Harriet Eliza, b. Parma, Aug. 2, 1843.

Ten children were born to them: Their eldest daughter, Elizabeth Ruth, died in 1837, after a brief illness. She was a beautiful girl, and as lovely in character as in person. She

was engaged to be married to a fine young man living in Cleveland. When told that she must die, with calm resignation, and in perfect trust in the wisdom and goodness of God, she smilingly said good-bye to lover and friends and went to dwell with the God whom she had loved.

The youngest child, Nelson G., died in 1848, at the age of twelve years.

Obituaries of Mrs. Beels and her husband, published at the time of their decease, will portray their lives better than anything which may be written now.

"Mrs. Jane Beels, aged 79 years, died of heart disease, on May 27, 1876, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Harriet E. Stevens, in Adamsville, Mich. Mrs. Beels came with her husband from Canandaigua, N. Y., to Royalton, Ohio, in January, 1821. In 182— they moved to Parma township and in 1832 settled on a farm a short distance east of the State road. Here they bravely met and patiently endured the trials and hardships incident to pioneer life until at length a portion of the forest was converted by their industrious hands into a pleasant home. Here they resided until the summer of 1863, when their house was burned. For two years they lived with their daughter, Mrs. Julia Hodgman. Since 1865, except for occasional visits to Ohio, they have spent their time with their children in the west. For several years they were at the home of Mrs. Stevens.

"Mrs. Beels early gave her heart to Jesus and throughout her long life earnestly labored and prayed for the welfare of Zion. During her last illness the Savior whom she had loved and served so many years comforted and sustained her. She said of the Valley of Death, 'It is bright.' 'Oh, my Jesus!' were her last words as with a look of joy on her face she entered into the rest remaining to the people of God."—*Berea (Ohio) Advertiser*.



SEYMOUR SYLVESTER DAVIS AND
DAUGHTER EMMA

SEYMOUR SYLVESTER DAVIS

Seymour S.³ (son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Ontario Co., N. Y., Sept. 23, 1815. In January, 1821, he came with his mother and step-father, Abner S. Beels, to Royalton, Ohio. A few years later he removed with the family to Parma, near Cleveland, Ohio, where he resided until he was a young man. For a few years he was a sailor on the Great Lakes during navigation season. During the winters he worked on Manitonline Island, cutting wood for a steamship company. He was married Aug. 4, 1840, to Miss Harriet Jackson, who was born Dec. 28, 1823. Soon after his marriage he went to Sheboygan Falls, Wis., and purchased land. He cleared the farm, built a frame house, and made other improvements. About 1850 he moved to Jefferson Township, Cass Co., Mich. Here he engaged still in farming. In 1866 he lost his right leg through disease. Being no longer able to do farm work he moved to Brownsville, Cass Co., where he kept a store. In 1868 he lost his home and store by fire. In 1870 he removed to Blue Rapids, Kan., where he purchased a farm on which he resided until his death, March 15, 1884.

His wife died Feb. 9, 1860. Mr. Davis was the favorite brother in his mother's family. He was a kind neighbor, a loving father, and an earnest Christian. He was loved by all who knew him for his amiable and noble character.

CHILDREN.

Delilah Maria, b. Nov. 20, 1843, d. April 4, 1880.

Julia Elizabeth, b. July 24, 1845, d. Mar. 5, 1873.

Marion Jane, b. Oct. 8, 1847, d. Aug. 19, 1881.

Ai Seymour, b. June 24, 1849.

Eugene, b. Oct. 21, 1850, d. Jan. 16, 1851.

Harriet Minerva, b. Feb. 20, 1853, d. Feb. 9, 1894.

Jessie Ellen, b. Sept. 25, 1855, d. Feb. 9, 1898.

Emma Alice, b. July 1, 1858.

DELILAH MARIAH DAVIS

Delilah Maria Davis⁴ (daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Nov. 20, 1843, at Sheboygan Falls, Wis. In 1850 her father removed with his family to Jefferson township, Cass Co., Mich., where she resided until the spring of 1870, when she went with her father's household to Blue Rapids, Kan. At an early age she united with the M. E. church. During her young womanhood she was taken with St. Vitus' dance, from which she suffered for the remainder of her life. She was a helpless invalid for several years and died at her father's home in Blue Rapids, April 4, 1880.

JULIA DAVIS STRONG

Julia Elizabeth Davis⁴ (daughter Seymour Davis³, son Jane², John Shepherd¹), second daughter of Seymour S. and Harriet Davis, was born in Sheboygan Falls, Wis., on July 24, 1845. In 1850 the family removed to Cass Co., Mich., where her life was spent. She was a beautiful girl and lovable in character. She united with the M. E. church while still a young girl and was an earnest, consistent Christian.

On October 18, 1866, she was married to Joseph Strong, of Mason, Mich. She died March 5, 1873. She had no children.

MARION DAVIS LONG

Marion Jane Davis⁴ (daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), began her earthly career on a farm near Sheboygan Falls, Wis., on Oct. 18, 1847. When she was three years old her father moved to Cass Co., Mich. Her childhood was spent on the farm and she attended the district school. She united with the M. E. church and by her faithful, consistent christianity proved the sincerity of her profession of

faith. On Oct. 15, 1868, she was joined in marriage to Winfield T. Long. A few years later her husband moved to Gobleville, Mich., where he engaged in the commission business. Here Mrs. Long died Aug. 19, 1881.

CHILDREN.

Lottie Luella, b. May 14, 1870, d. July 23, 1870.

Rolla David, b. Oct. 2, 1872.

Emma Rosella, b. Dec. 31, 1875.

Minnie Rosalla, b. Dec. 31, 1875, d. Jan. 6, 1876.

ROLLA DAVID LONG

Rolla David Long⁵ (son Marion Davis⁴, daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Oct. 2, 1872, in ———, Mich. His boyhood was spent there and in Gobleville and Vicksburg, Mich. He writes: "I am not a graduate of either high school or college, but received a common school education in Vicksburg. I have lived in Chicago since 1889. Previous to 1901 I was engaged with my father in the commission business. Since 1901 I have been engaged in filling orders from country dealers for fruits and vegetables. I carry on business under the name of 'W. T. Long's Son.' I am not a member of any fraternal organization, and never held an office of any kind. I am unmarried.

EMMA LONG BEEBE

Emma Rosella Long⁵ (daughter Marion Davis⁴, daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Dec. 31, 1875, in ———, Mich. She attended common school at Vicksburg, Mich. In 1889 her father removed with his family to Chicago, Ill. She was married on Dec. 8, 1896, to Albert E. Beebe, who was born Dec. 1, 1873. Their home is in Harvey, a suburb of Chicago.

CHILD.

Marion Iva, b. June 1, 1904.

AI SEYMOUR DAVIS

Ai S⁴. (son Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), only son of Seymour and Harriet Davis, first saw the light on June 24, 1849, in Sheboygan Falls, Wis. Not satisfied with conditions there, he removed the next year to Jefferson Township, Cass Co., Mich. His years were spent on his father's farm there till 1866 when his father purchased a store at Brownsville, Mich., and Ai assisted his father in the store. In 1870 the family removed to a farm in Blue Rapids, Kan.

He was married June 20, 1874, to Kate E. Francis, who was born May 9, 1854. They resided for a number of years in Blue Rapids. Mr. Davis then removed to Leavenworth, Kan., where his home now is at 811 Miami St. Since 1900 he has been in the employ of McKelli-Brown Co.

CHILDREN.

Arthur S., b. April 9, 1875, d. Sept. 12, 1876.

Nellie M., b. Sept. 28, 1876.

Edith A., b. July 9, 1878.

Francis S., b. July 18, 1880.

Baby, b. July 11, 1892, d. July 11, 1892.

NELLIE M. DAVIS LANE

Nellie M., the second child of Ai S. and Kate E. Davis, was born Sept. 28, 1876, at Blue Rapids, Kan. She was married Oct. 25, 1892, to E. D. Lane.

CHILDREN.

Russel, b. Oct. 28, 1893, d. Jan. 21, 1897.

Eugene D., b. Dec. 21, 1900, d. —.

Hazel, b. Nov. 23, 1905.

EDITH A. DAVIS HAZELGROVE

Edith A. is the second daughter of Ai S. and Kate E. Davis. Her birthday was July 9, 1878, and her birth place Blue Rapids, Kan. On Jan. 6, 1904, she became the bride of Arthur Hazelgrove.

CHILD.

Lynn Davis, b. Dec. 18th, 1904.

FRANCIS SEYMOUR DAVIS

Francis S⁵. (son Ai⁴, son Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the son of Ai S. and Kate E. Davis. He was born July 18, 1880, at Blue Rapids, Kan. He is known by the name of "Frank." He was married to Emma Pearl Hendricks Mar. 25, 1901. Their home was in Leavenworth. Mrs. Davis died Nov. 20, 1907, leaving two motherless boys who are being reared by their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ai S. Davis.

CHILDREN.

Merle S., b. Sept. 5, 1902.

Gerald S., b. Aug. 18, 1904.

MINERVA DAVIS BOTHWELL

Harriet Minerva Davis⁴ (daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), had her birth in Cass Co., Mich., Feb. 19, 1853. Reared in a Christian home she early became a Christian, and united with the M. E. church. Her childhood and youth were spent in Michigan. In 1870 her father moved to Blue Rapids, Kan. Here on Jan. 17, 1872, she became the wife of Joseph Earle Bothwell. He was born in London, England, Nov. 20, 1845, and was a mason by trade.

Minerva Davis Bothwell was a healthful, active girl, but sickness came upon her in later life and for several years she

was a helpless invalid. She died Feb. 9, 1894. The home of her family is in Blue Rapids, Kan.

CHILDREN.

Myrtle Alice, b. Dec. 2, 1872, d. Aug. 14, 1873.

Pearl Harriet, b. Sept. 4, 1874.

Maude Estelle, b. Dec. 29, 1876.

Julia Alice, b. May 26, 1879.

Jennie Ethel, b. Oct. 2, 1881.

Joseph Earle, b. June 3, 1886.

Hobart Hayes, b. Oct. 10, 1890.

PEARL BOTHWELL FOX

Pearl Harriet Bothwell⁵, daughter of Minerva Davis and Joseph Bothwell, was born on her father's farm near Blue Rapids, Kansas, on Sept. 4, 1874. She graduated from the schools at Blue Rapids in 1893, and taught school for a short time. She went to Chicago, Ill., where she was married to Charles L. Fox on Thanksgiving day, 1900. Their home is in Chicago. They have no children.

MAUD ESTELLE BOTHWELL

Maude Estelle⁵ is the third daughter of Minerva D.⁴ and Joseph Bothwell. She was born near Blue Rapids, Kansas, and graduated from the schools there in 1896. She spent a few years with her sister in Chicago. She is unmarried and her home is with her father in Blue Rapids.

JULIA ALICE BOTHWELL

Julia Alice⁵, daughter of Minerva D.⁴ and Joseph Bothwell, had her birth on the farm near Blue Rapids, Kan., on May 26, 1879. Her father moved to Blue Rapids when she was a few years old and she attended school there but did not graduate. She is her father's housekeeper and like him, is deeply interested in the work of the International Bible Students' Association of which they are members.

JENNIE BOTHWELL WARDERS

Jennie Ethel Bothwell⁵ (daughter Minerva⁴, daughter Seymour Davis³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Oct. 2, 1881, near Blue Rapids, Kansas. She graduated from the schools there in 1900. She taught school for three years. On April 6, 1904, she was married to Horace Greely Warders. Their home is three miles from Blue Rapids.

CHILDREN.

Garwood Bothwell, b. Jan. 31, 1906.

Thelma Harriet, b. April 1, 1907.

Cecile, Jenny, b. April 26, 1911.

JOSEPH EARLE BOTHWELL, JR.

Joseph Earl Bothwell⁵ (son Minerva⁴, daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Blue Rapids, Kan., June 31, 1886. He graduated from the high school in 1904. He then learned the jeweler's trade and now has a jewelery store in Enterprise, Kan. He is fond of athletics and is a player of baseball and football. He is unmarried.

HOBART HAYES BOTHWELL⁵

Hobart Hayes Bothwell⁵ is the youngest of the children of Minerva D⁴. and Joseph Bothwell. His birthplace was Blue Rapids, Kan., and date of birth, Oct. 10, 1890. Before he had finished the high school course he went to learn the trade of jeweler and he was thus engaged in 1911.

JESSIE DAVIS EDINBOROUGH

Jessie Ellen Davis⁴ (daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Cass Co., Mich. Here her early life was spent with the exception of the years 1862-3, which were spent with her grandmother Beels in Parma, Ohio.

In 1870 she went with her father's family to Blue Rapids, Kan. She was married Nov. 1, 1874, to Howard B. Edinborough and resided in Blue Rapids until her death, Feb. 9, 1898. The following is copied from an obituary which appeared in the Blue Rapids' paper:

The people who knew Mrs. Jessie Edinborough have a rich inheritance in the influence of such a life as they daily witnessed in her. By long continued physical infirmity she was debarred from a share in the home and social activities to which in early years she had devoted herself with whole-souled energy. Through years of suffering and disability she lived an uncomplaining life, surrounding her family with such a wealth of motherly care and devotion that she often made them forget the heavy cross that she was bearing.

She has gone to her reward leaving a rich legacy in the testimony of her life to the reality of a Christian faith, and the beauty, purity and glory of a true woman's love.

There are some characters so delicate and beautiful in texture that it is difficult to describe them fitly or with justice. Only a loving testimonial may be attempted for this woman who seemed to reflect God's love because she loved everybody, and because one could not leave her presence without a consciousness of his shortcomings and an appreciation of her beauty of soul.

CHILDREN.

Mildred Sarah, b. April 28, 1875.

Alfred, b. Jan. 18, 1877, d. April, 1879.

Blanch Mignon, b. May 27, 1880.

Fred, b. Oct. 22, 1883.

Floyd, b. Dec. 14, 1884.

The children were born in Blue Rapids. Mildred and Blanche both were music teachers. The family moved to a ranch in Colorado about 1910, since which time nothing has been heard from them. At that time only Floyd was married.

FLOYD EDINBOROUGH

Floyd⁵ (son Jessie⁴, daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the youngest of the children of Jessie Davis Edinborough. He was born Dec. 14, 1884, in Blue Rapids, Kansas. Nothing is known of his early life. He was married Aug. 7, 1907, to Miss Vera Calkins. Their place of residence is unknown.

CHILD.

Howard, b. July 4, 1909.

EMMA A. DAVIS LONG

Emma Alice⁴ (daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), had her birth in Jefferson Township, Cass Co., Mich., July 1, 1858. She is the youngest child of Seymour S. and Harriet Davis. Until she was eight years old her life was spent on the farm in Jefferson. The next four years were spent in the little village of Brownsville, Mich. In 1870 she went with her father's family to Blue Rapids, Kansas.

She was married July 29, 1882, to Winfield Long, and became the step-mother of the two motherless children left by the death of her sister Marion. They resided in Vicksburg, Mich., until 1889, when they removed to Chicago, Ill. Mr. Long died Aug. 9, 1901. On October 15, 1908, Mrs. Long went to live on a homestead claim she had taken up ten miles from Judith Gap, Montana. Her cabin there has been her residence since then with the exception of a short time each year spent in visiting her children in Chicago. She is two or three miles from a neighbor, but enters into and enjoys the social spirit of that land.

She superintends the breaking of the soil on her farm and rejoices in the healthfulness and beauty found around her new home.

CHILD.

Eva Grace, b. April 29, 1887.

EVA GRACE LONG

Eva Grace⁵ (daughter Emma⁴, daughter Seymour³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the only child of Emma A. and Winfield T. Long. She was born April 29, 1887, in Vicksburg, Mich. Two years later her father removed with his family to Chicago, Ill. She was educated in the public schools of that city, graduating from high school June, 1904, and from Chicago Kindergarten College, May, 1907. She then became a kindergarten teacher in the Chicago schools.

ALONZO BEELS

Alonzo³ (son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Canandaigua, N. Y., Nov. 4, 1820. In January, 1821, his parents moved to Royalton, Ohio, and five years later to the adjoining township, Parma, where his childhood was spent. He attended school in the district school which in those pioneer days was in session only a few months in the year.

At the age of 15 years he engaged as a sailor on the lakes and followed that occupation during the navigation season for about 30 years. He was captain of a vessel for many years.

On Jan. 18, 1846, he married Miss Hannah Esty (born Feb. 22, 1828), of Richfield, Ohio. He moved to Sheboygan, Wis., where he purchased a farm, but still followed the life of a sailor. He was elected to a seat in the legislature of Wisconsin, and served one term with credit to himself and to his constituency.

On the breaking out of the Civil War he raised two companies of volunteers for the service but was himself rejected because of physical disabilities.

On May 5, 1853, his wife died, leaving him with four children, the oldest of whom was not 6½ years old. That his little ones might have the care they needed, he married, on June 2,



ALONZO BEELS

1853, Miss Mary Crosby (born Sept. 12, 1834), of Sheboygan, who was a loving mother to his little ones, and a devoted wife, tenderly caring for him throughout the months of suffering preceding his death.

In 1869 he purchased a farm in Sumner Township, Bremer Co., Iowa, and moved his family ythere. A few years later he sold this farm and purchased one near Jessup, Iowa, where he resided until 1880. His health having failed, he sold his farm and moved ot Independence, Iowa, where he lived until the spring of 1890. He then purchased a farm in South Dakota and moved to it. But the change of climate, and worries over failure of crops and other losses brought back his old trouble with his stomach. He was brought to the home of his son near Independence, Iowa, where he died Dec. 4, 1890.

Mr. Beels was a man of more than ordinary ability considering the few advantages to secure an education. He was a conscientious Christian. For 35 years he was a member of the M. E. church and for 25 years he was a licensed local preacher. He was a liberal contributor to the work of the church. He was a member of Lodge No. 142 I. O. O. F.

He held the respect of the entire community and leaves behind him an honorable name as a man, as a neighbor and as a good citizen.—*From The Independence Journal.*

CHILDREN.

By first wife.

*Henry A., b. Dec. 18, 1846, d. Nov. 8, 1860.

*Eliza J., b. May 22, 1848, d. Nov. 27, 1860.

Lovenia M., b. Aug. 31, 1849, d. Oct. 31, 1892.

*Julia D., b. Feb. 17, 1851, d. Nov. 11, 1860.

By second wife.

*Mary E., b. June 14, 1854, d. Nov. 5, 1860.

Finley F., b. April 27, 1858.

William S., b. Mar. 15, 1863.

Minnie M., b. May 31, 1864.

*Mr. Beels, while near Buffalo, N. Y., on his last voyage for the year 1860, received a telegram to come home. On reaching home he found that three of his children had died of diphtheria and that two others were very sick. One of the sick ones died soon after his return.

LOVENIA BEELS WALKER.

Lovenia M. Beels⁴ (daughter Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), daughter of Alonzo and Hannah Beels, was born in Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 31, 1849. She was the only survivor of five of her father's children who had the diphtheria during November, 1860. Her life was happily spent in Sheboygan until 1869, when her father removed to Iowa. She was married to Daniel A. Walker, at Independence, Iowa, on Feb. 12, 1870. She suffered much from sickness, being an invalid for several years. She died, at Jessup, Iowa, Oct. 31, 1892. Her husband deserted his family several years before this.

CHILDREN.

Charles O., b. Jan. 26, 1871.

Loretta M., b. Mar. 9, 1873.

Leon L., b. Sept., 1875.

Belle M., b. May, 1877.

Edward, b. June 15, 1880.

Erwin, b. June 15, 1880.

CHARLES O. WALKER

Charles O. Walker⁵ (son Lovenia Walker⁴, daughter Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), eldest son of Lovenia Beels Walker, writes this brief sketch of his history:

I was born near Independence, Iowa, Jan. 26th, 1871. I am of the opinion that you do not care for the particulars of our moving from place to place during my childhood for we moved a number of times. I graduated in the normal course at Water-

loo Collegiate Institute and Business College, and attended two terms at Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, Iowa.

I taught school two terms in the time between my terms at Cornell College.

I came to South Dakota and entered the ministry of the M. E. church in the spring of 1892. My first charge was at Aurora. I was admitted on trial in South Dakota Conference in 1893, but owing to ill-health I did not complete my conference studies till 1903. I was compelled by nervous prostration to give up my work for four months in 1904, and in 1905, my poor health made it necessary for me to retire from the ministry.

I served the following charges: Aurora, Elkton, Gary, Big Stone City, Garden City, Henry, Hazel, Langford and Claremont. My longest pastorate was at Gary, where we remained three years.

On October 10, 1893, I was married to Miss Ella Ada Walradth, and took my bride to Gary soon after entering upon my pastorate there.

In the fall of 1905 I entered the newspaper field and founded the Claremont Recorder which I published until June, 1909. I then sold the Claremont Recorder and purchased The White Leader, of White, S. Dak., which I am still publishing in 1912.

I am looking for a new field in the rapidly developing state of Washington and expect to remove there soon.

I was justice of the peace for two years in Claremont. Aside from this I never held office.

CHILDREN.

John Vincent, b. July 16, 1895, d. Oct. 14, 1895.

Ruby Alma, b. Dec. 16, 1899.

Ardis Lucile, b. Mar. 2, 1906, d. July 4, 1906.

LORETTA MAY WALKER

Loretta M.⁵ (daughter Lovenia⁴, daughter Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born on Mar. 9, 1873, at Independence, Iowa. Her home has been with her grandmother Walker in Jessup, Iowa, for many years. She was a teacher in the high school for some time. At present she teaches in Marble Rock, Iowa. She is unmarried.

LEON LEONARDSON WALKER

Leon L. Walker⁵ (son Lovenia⁴, daughter Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), son of Lovenia and Daniel Walker, was born at Independence, Iowa, Sept. 2, 1874. Then for a time his parents lived in McGregor, Iowa. When Leon was seven years old he spent a year in Ohio with the family of Daniel W. Ward, on the farm which was the boyhood home of his grandfather Beels. He attended school in Jessup and Independence, Iowa. After the death of his mother he spent four years with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary A. Walker, in Hazelton, Iowa. He worked on farms near his home until 1895, when he drove a team from Sioux City, Iowa, to Condo, N. Dak., where he worked on a farm till 1899. He then went to Henry, S. Dak., and spent a year with his brother, Charles O. Walker.

On Jan. 26, 1900, he went to Gary, S. Dak., to his brother Irwin. Here he met Miss Alma Ethel Faith Wood, to whom he was married Jan. 6, 1901. Miss Wood was born May 5, 1878, at Reedsburg, Sauk Co., Wis.

After going to Gary, S. Dak., Mr. Walker learned painting and paper hanging and is a skilled workman in those trades. He has for ten years owned a one-half interest in a large steam threshing outfit at Minnesota, Minn., and is engaged in threshing during the season for threshing.

At present he is in charge of the engine at the State School for the Blind, which is located at Gary.

Mr. Walker is an officer in the Masonic Order. For several years he was an active worker in the I. O. G. T., and held office in that order. He is a musician, being member of a band, and singing in a male quartette.

CHILD.

Erma Meora, b. Dec. 25, 1906.

MARY BELLE WALKER HEIMENDINGER

Mary Belle Walker⁵ (daughter Lovenia⁴, daughter Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Independence, Iowa, July 18, 1876. Her family changed residence often, so that her youthful days were spent in several Iowa villages. She attended school in Jessup and Waterloo, Iowa. Her mother died in 1892 at Jessup. The next year Mary Belle went to Chicago to live. She was married in 1895 to Edward Norcross, by whom she had two sons. Mr. Norcross was so intemperate that she was obliged to secure a divorce from him.

In 1901 she was again married to Harry M. Heimendinger. They soon removed to Butte, Mont., where they now reside. Mr. Heimendinger is engaged in the mining business, being the secretary of a mining company. Mrs. Heimendinger united with the M. E. church when a girl. She has no children by her second marriage. Her son, Carlton, is a member of the Presbyterian church in Butte, and he attends high school.

CHILDREN.

Carlton Vivian Norcross, b. Mar. 22, 1896.

Harold W., b. Dec. 18, 1897, d. July 29, 1898.

IRWIN ALONZO WALKER

Irwin Alonzo Walker⁵ was born June 13, 1879, in McGregor, Iowa. He had a twin brother, Edwin Horatio. After the death of his mother, in 1892, Irwin was placed in the care of a family near his home. But his foster home did not prove a happy one and in 1895 he went to live with his brother, Charles, in Gary, S. Dak., where he attended school. When Charles left Gary, Irwin made his home with the family of Mr. N. P. Wood, and remained with them six years. He learned the barber's trade in Gary, and later worked at this trade in Henry, Hazel, Bristol and Newark, S. Dak. He was married to Miss Mae Tennes, in Bristol, June 7, 1907. On May 1, 1910, he went to Lemon, S. Dak. He was engaged in business there until December when he was taken with typhoid fever. He returned to his home in Bristol where he died Feb. 6, 1911. His widow is now Mrs. I. O'Conner of Elkton, S. Dak.

Mr. Walker was an active worker in the I. O. G. T. for a number of years.

CHILD.

Irvin Alonzo, Jr., b. Mar. 28, 1908.

EDWIN HORATIO WALKER

Edwin Horatio Walker⁵ (son Lovenia Walker⁴, daughter Alonzo³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), twin brother of Irwin Alonzo Walker, Sr., was born at McGregor, Iowa, June 13, 1879. When he was 8 years old his father deserted his family. As the mother was in feeble health, and the family in straitened circumstances, some of the children had to find homes elsewhere. Edwin was adopted by a family near Independence, Iowa, and lived with them on a farm till he was 20 years old. He attended school 8 years in Independence. When he was 20 years old he went to Waterton, S. Dak, where

he worked on a farm for 3 years and attended school two winters. He then went to Beresford, S. Dak., where he still resides. He is employed in a wholesale commission house engaged in the sale of butter, eggs and poultry.

He was married Nov. 4, 1903, to Miss Lydia E. McQuigg, who was born in Nebraska, March 8, 1885.

Mr. Walker is a member of the "M. W. of O." and the "B. A. Y."

CHILDREN.

Lola Mary, b. June 15, 1904, d. Feb. 7, 1908.

Edwin John, b. June 12, 1906.

Lola Isabella, b. Nov. 5, 1908.

Robert Leon, b. Feb. 20, 1911.

FINLEY F. BEELS

Finley F.⁴ (son Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), son of Alonzo and Mary Beels, was born at Sheboygan Falls, Wis., April 27, 1858. He was 11 years old when his father removed to Sumner, Iowa. He remained with his father on the farm until 1876 when he went away to work for himself. He worked as a farm hand in Iowa and Illinois. He was married in 1883 at Galva, Ill., to Miss Lorinnie Rogers, who was born at Sheboygan Falls, Wis. They resided in Galva, Ill., a year and then went to Iowa where they lived for several years on farms near Independence and Jesup. Their five children were born at Jesup.

His wife died March 20, 1895.

Mr. Beels afterward moved to Marshfield, Wis., where he now resides with his fourth wife.

CHILDREN.

Leroy Walters, b. Oct. 7, 1884.

Emery Winfred, b. Oct. 22, 1886.

Harrison Morton, b. Nov. 3, 1888.

Hallie M., b. June 26, 1891.

Roger F., b. Mar. 24, 1894.

LEROY WALTER BEELS

LeRoy W⁵, (son Finley⁴, son Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), the oldest child of Finley F. and Lorinnie Beels was born at Jesup, Iowa, Oct. 7, 1884. His early life was spent in Jesup, Iowa, and Marshfield, Wis. He was married in 1903 to Miss Rose Shondown in Marshfield. They now reside in Arlington, Wash., where Mr. Beels or "Roy," as he is called, is engineer in a large shingle mill.

CHILDREN.

Lester.
Arline.
Helene.

EMERY WINFRED BEELS

Emery Winfred, second son of Finley F. and Lorinnie Beels, was born Oct. 22, 1886, in Jesup, Iowa. He now resides in Arlington, Wash., with his brother Roy. He is known by the name of "Fred."

He is unmarried.

HARRISON MORTON BEELS

Harrison M.⁵ (son Finley⁴, son Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the third son of Mr. and Mrs. Finley F. Beels. His birthplace was Jesup, Iowa, and his birth occurred Nov. 3, 1888. His early years were spent in Jesup. He then went to Marshfield, Wis., where he still resides. He was married in 1908 to Annie Breining. He is a farmer.

CHILDREN.

Harold, b. 1910.
Alfred, b. 1911.

ROGER T. BEELS

Roger T., youngest child of Finley F. and Lorinnie Beels, was born at Jesup, Iowa, March 24, 1894. He is at present in Batavia, Ill. He is unmarried.

HALLIE M. BEELS MORTZ

Hallie M.⁵ (daughter Finley⁴, son Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), the only daughter of Finley F. and Lorinnie Beels, was born June 26, 1891, in Jesup, Iowa. Her home for some years was with her step-mother's mother in Jesup. She married Albert Mortz, a farmer. Their home is near Jesup, Iowa.

CHILD.

A boy, b. May, 1912.

WILL S. BEELS

Will S. Beels⁴ (son Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), youngest son of Alonzo and Mary Beels, in reply to a letter asking for information as to his early history, wrote as follows:

As a matter of fact there is nothing of interest in my prosaic life worthy of blackface type or italics in the family history. Let me get the bald outline out of the way:

The old family Bible says that I was born on the morning of March 15, 1863, on the old farm near Sheboygan Falls, Wis. I brought my parents and the rest of the family with me to Iowa in April, 1869, arriving on the first day of April, and located at Independence. My experience for the following few years was divided between farming and town life, and enduring some of the vicissitudes of the semi-frontier and the wheat failures of the early '70s, when life was a round of pleasure staring the mortgage in the face and hoping that the blight and chinch bugs would journey to other lands. But I finally brought the family through the crisis, and reasonable comfort attended father for some years before his death in 1890.

Stern necessity and some circumstances controlled my education, which was confined to a few terms in a graded town school, and the rest to the rural schools. My ambition had been

to go to college, but that was denied. In 1880 I entered a printing office as an apprentice, having previously decided that the legal profession or the sacred calling of newspapering was the last notch to fame that could be acquired. The newspaper job opened first. You will note that after years of experience I call it a job while in youth I looked upon it as a profession; and also it is apparent that the proposition of finances did not enter into the choice at the time. I have been following newspapering uninterruptedly ever since, sometimes with a reasonable amount of excitement and again with a dull routine. From 1885-87 I owned the Register at Oelwein, Iowa; from 1888 to 1894 was located at Emmetsburg, Iowa, where I established the Tribune, which is still successfully running. Have been editor and manager of various papers at various times, and finally drifted to Hopkinton, Iowa, to buy the Leader, induced partly by the necessities of political leaders who desired a safe and sane republican paper in this locality. I found the proposition so good from a business standpoint that we seem to have anchored—at least I have been here for eleven years.

I have never held political office of consequence, though several times overtures have been made to induce me to become a candidate. I have always taken an active part in local political movements, and though I have some affiliations with the state leaders and the so-called "machine," the glamour has never attracted me seriously to leave business.

I think the most exciting experiences in my brief career are rather tame, though at the time they seemed important enough. The first real excitement I remember is the first pair of copper-toed boots with red tops; the next was a pair of home-made galluses to hold up a pair of home-made denims. The last was my initiation to the mysteries of the printing office. Though in the years since I have joined most all the fraternal organizations, including Masonry up to the 32d de-

gree, I don't know of anything that has affected me so solemnly as the instances mentioned.

I did try my hand at pioneering, I suppose because it was in the blood. I went to Dakota territory in 1884, setting a stake at Pukwana. The next town—Chamberlin, was then the jumping off place of civilization, and it was sure wild and woolly in those days. I annexed a claim on the Crow Creek reservation, which later President Cleveland withdrew from settlement. I have always been an admirer of Cleveland since, though at the time it seemed to me he was sure enough a bad democrat. But the withdrawal from entry sent me back again to God's country.

I am not a member of any church, though I have always stood my share of the preacher's salary and worked with the churches on every moral proposition for the advancement of the community. Of course I was baptized in the good old Methodist church, but here my wife and I affiliate with the Presbyterian persuasion—mainly because we can do the most good that way, and because they are very strong in Hopkinton and are maintaining a Presbyterian college to whose deficit I am frequently called on to subscribe. Politically, of course, I am republican. They call me a standpatter. I claim to be a progressive but not an insurgent. Anyhow, I have a barrel of fun with my friends and enemies alike. It is a great game.

My wife's name was Flora A. Howard, and she was born in Caledonia, Minn., March 21, 1863—six days later than myself. We were married at Oelwein, Iowa, Nov. 30, 1886. There are no children. Mrs. B.'s parents were Warren H. Howard and Margaret Nelson; the former a native of New York and the latter of Indiana. The mother died Sept. 1, 1892; her father is living with a son at Marcola, Ore.

MINNIE BEELS BUNCE

Minnie M. Beels⁴ (daughter Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born May 31, 1864, in Sheboygan, Wis. Her father moved to Iowa in the spring of 1869. She attended the public schools in Independence, Iowa, until 1876, when her father removed to a farm near Jesup, where he resided until 1880, when he returned to Independence. Minnie then learned dressmaking and millinery and engaged in these occupations until her marriage. She was married Sept. 26, 1886, to Guy Elmer Bunce who was born May 16, 1863, in Lyndon, Sheboygan Co., Wis. They made their home on a farm at Shady Grove, near Jesup, Iowa, where all of their children were born. Mrs. Bunce united with the M. E. church when she was 14 years old. In 1910 she took the Chautauqua School of Nursing course and is now serving as a trained nurse.

CHILDREN.

William Alonzo, b. May 4, 1889.

Allie Ione, b. Oct. 22, 1890.

Nellie Maud, b. April 4, 1892.

Walter Monroe, b. July 5, 1894. d. Dec. 6, 1907.

Harvey Dorance, b. May 8, 1896.

Arthur Leon, b. April 8, 1898.

Mary Lodeskie, b. Oct. 16, 1899.

Eva Ruth, b. May 30, 1903.

Flora Edith, b. June 1, 1905, d. Aug. 18, 1907.

Baby, b. June 22, 1907, d. June 22, 1907.

WILLIAM ALONZO BUNCE

William A. Bunce⁵ (son Minnie⁴, daughter Alonzo³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), had his birth at Shady Grove, Iowa, on May 4, 1889. His early life was spent on his father's farm. He was married on Sept. 9, 1908, to Miss M. Hunter.



LEFT TO RIGHT, SITTING—BERTHOLD E. STROUD, IVAH L. STROUD, MERTON W. HODGMAN, KENNETH E.
 HODGMAN, RUTH A. STROUD, ELSIE E. HODGMAN, HARVEY H. HODGMAN. STANDING - HAZEL
 H. HODGMAN, ALICE M. HODGMAN, CARL H. STROUD, WINIFRED J. STROUD.

CHILDREN.

Merle Eldrich, b. Oct. 1, 1909.

Alice Margrete, b. Nov. 17, 1910.

The other children of Mrs. Minnie Beels Bunce are still at home. The daughter, Nellie Maud, graduated from a business college June 15, 1911.

JULIA BEELS HODGMAN

Julia Ann (daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was married Sept. 16, 1845, to Robert Hodgman, who was born in Bowdoine, Lincoln Co., Me., May 20, 1810. He was the son of Amos and Thankful Small Hodgman and came with his parents to Parma, Ohio, in 1821. He was a farmer and was respected and loved by the entire community.

We copy an obituary of Mrs. Julia A. Hodgman, printed in the Berea Advertiser of July 5, 1901. It portrays her life and character most fittingly.

Mrs. Julia A. Hodgman, one of the pioneers of Parma, died on the morning of June 7, 1901. She was the daughter of Abner and Jane Beels, and was born near the center of Royalton, Ohio, May 10, 1823.

When she was three years old her parents moved to Parma, to the farm now occupied by Eli Stevenson. At that time, 1826, there was not another family living in Parma on the state road. The nearest schoolhouse was at Brighton, three miles away. The road led through the woods and there were but two houses between her home and Brighton. For nearly two years she and her brother attended school in Brighton. Early on Sunday morning they would walk to Sunday school at Brooklyn center, over four miles from their home. When Sunday school closed in the fall the superintendent, Mr. Samuel Storer, presented Julia with a book as a reward for punctuality and regularity in attendance.

Water for use in the family was brought from a spring a little distance away. One day she went with her sister to the spring after water. Her kitten followed her. Julia caught the kitten and attempted to shut it in a hollow log near the patch. The kitten resisted her efforts to push it into the log. Peering into the log to discover the reason, she saw a large rattlesnake coiled and ready to spring. Her cries attracted the attention of Mr. Jesse Freeman, at work near by who came and killed the snake. One morning her brothers went to bring home the cow; they were gone so long that their father went in search of the boys. He found them up a tree, with a great rattlesnake coiled at the foot of the tree watching them. One morning Mr. Beels went out into the woods near by in search of game. His little son accompanied him. They were in the woods on what is now the Leander Snow farm, when the boy, who was some distance behind the father, called, "O, papa, see the big black hog!" On turning the father saw a bear between himself and son, and near the boy. Anxiety for his son made the father's arm unsteady and the bear escaped among the rocks leaving a trail of blood. Amid such scenes her childhood days were passed.

In the spring of 1832 Mr. Beels purchased a farm in the southeast part of Parma. After a log house had been built, Julia, then 9 years of age, kept house for her father and older brother, while they cleared a piece of land about the house. Then the family took possession of the new home. Mr. Beels remained on the farm till 1863. The summer Julia was 14 years old each Monday morning found her at work beside a little brook which flowed near the house doing the weekly wash for the family of 10 persons. She carried water from the brook and heated it in a large kettle suspended over a fire beside the brook. She had no washing machine, not even a



HOME OF ROBERT HODGMAN

modern washboard to lighten her labors. But each article was rubbed between her hands till cleansed.

She eagerly embraced every opportunity she had of attending school in the little log school house with its rude benches and desks. That she diligently improved her school privileges was shown even in her old age, by the freedom with which she quoted from *The English Reader*, Webster's *Elementary Spelling Book* and Deobald's *Arithmetic*. When she was 16 there came to her an opportunity of attending school at the Brooklyn Academy and of working in a family living near to pay her board.

Her long cherished wish of fitting herself to teach school was gratified. Under the instruction of that faithful teacher, Mr. Merrill, she fitted herself in two terms, and taught her first school in the "Alger District" in Rockport. She received a dollar and a half per week, the highest wages then paid. Teachers in those days "boarded around," going in turn to each family sending pupils to school. She taught in the home school, also at No. 9, and then No. 1 in Parma.

Here she met and loved Mr. Robert Hodgman, who in September, 1845, brought his bride to his home on the pike road. This was ever after her home till her poor, wornout body was tenderly borne by her grandsons to its last resting place in the quiet cemetery near by.

Her husband died May 15, 1863, leaving to her the responsibility of caring for four young children. She met this new trust with the same earnest spirit in which she had so bravely performed the many duties of her earlier life. The four children survive to cherish the memory of a mother of whom it may truly be said, "She hath done what she could." How bravely and patiently her life's work was performed, only those who knew her best can tell.

When 16 years of age she became a christian and long years of service showed the sincerity of the profession then made.

She was interested in every department of christian work. Two classes of young girls grew to womanhood under her instruction in the S. S. For many years she was secretary and treasurer of the W. F. M. S.

She visited the sick and sorrowing, fed the hungry and helped to clothe the poor. A tender, ever increasing love for Christ and his work prompted her in all her work.

The funeral service was held at her late residence at 2 o'clock p. m. on Sunday and was conducted by Rev. J. M. Wylie, her pastor.

The choir of the Presbyterian church sang "Asleep in Jesus," and two other of the old time hymns.

The text was "At evening time it shall be light."

Her casket was nearly hidden in the bank of beautiful flowers sent by loving friends.

A great company of friends gathered to pay their last tribute of respect. No hearse or carriages were employed. The flower covered casket was borne to the cemetery by her sons, B. O. Stroud and C. C. Hodgman, and grandsons Bert E. Stroud, Carl H. Stroud, Harvey H. Hodgman and Kenneth E. Hodgman.

The relatives and friends followed on foot and soon the earthly house of this tabernacle in which the gentle, patient soul had dwelt, was returned to the dust from which it had been taken. To her to die was gain. Her last conscious words had been "I wish I were with the angels in heaven, singing God's praises. How delightful that will be!"

Alpha.



HOME OF ALICE C. STROUD

CHILDREN.

Robert Henry, b. July 10, 1846, d. July 23, 1849.

Roderick Nelson, b. Oct. 13, 1848.

Alice Cecelia, b. April 11, 1850.

Kendrick Kane, b. April 26, 1852.

Robert Reuben, b. April 5, 1854, d. Oct. 3, 1854.

Clarence Charles, b. July 31, 1855.

All the children were born in the old home in Parma.

One week in July, 1849, was ever remembered by Mr. and Mrs. Hodgman as the saddest week of their lives. During that week his mother, his son Robert, sister Thankful, sister Mrs. Minda Emerson, niece Emily Hodgman and brother-in-law, Benajah Fay, all died of cholera. When the father and mother arose in the morning their little son was well. When the sun set that night his little body was buried in the cemetery near them.

RODERICK NELSON HODGMAN

Roderick N.⁴ (son Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter of John Shepherd¹), was a healthy, active boy until he was 6½ years old. He was then taken with inflammatory rheumatism from which he suffered for a year. He was then well and active until nearly 9 years of age when he was again taken with the inflammatory rheumatism and suffered greatly for three years, being unable to move or turn himself in bed during that time. The disease left him deformed and dwarfed in body, as he did not grow after he was 12 years old, and so crippled that he has walked on crutches ever since. His early education began under the instruction of his mother. When he was 6 years old he had read the New Testament aloud to her. He attended district school and then the high school at Brooklyn Center. He began teaching April 1, 1867. His first school was in Royalton. He was engaged in teaching until April,

1890. He spent two years in the school at Berea depot, and a year in Brooklyn township. The remainder of the time he taught in the schools of Parma. He taught again 1902-03. When not employed in the public schools he has rarely been without two or three pupils from among his young friends who came to him for help in their high school work.

He completed a course in the Spencerian Business College of Cleveland in 1869. Under the direction of Amos Denison and Anson W. Beman of Cleveland he studied law and was admitted April 21, 1876, to practice as an attorney and counsellor at law. But want of physical strength prevented his carrying out the dream of his boyhood—the practice of law. In January, 1867, he united with the Parma Congregational church. In 1874 this church changed to Presbyterian. He was ever active in the work of the church and held office in the church nearly all the time. During the later years of his life he was a ruling elder.

When 19 years old he was appointed a teacher in the S. S. and was never without a class from that time. He was superintendent of the S. S. for 20 years. In addition to his work in his church school, from 1871 to 1887, he superintended and taught in a S. S. which met in the afternoon in one of the school houses. From 1899 until the present time he has taught regularly on Sunday p. m. in a school in Brooklyn township.

He served one term as township clerk and was justice of the peace for one term.

Alice Hodgman Stroud

Alice C. Hodgman⁴ (daughter Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), graduated from the district school and then attended the Brooklyn Center high school.

On Nov. 29, 1870, she married Byron Orlando Stroud (born Sept. 27, 1847), who was the son of Jacob and Sally



ALICE HODGMAN STROUD



DASIE A. STROUD

Mosely Stroud. B. O. Stroud was a butcher and farmer. For several years they occupied the farm which Mr. Stroud's father had owned. They then built them a beautiful home near Mrs. Hodgman's childhood home, where their children grew to manhood and womanhood. Mr. and Mrs. Stroud united with the Presbyterian church in 1874.

Mrs. Stroud is actively engaged in all departments of church work. For many years she has taught the young ladies' class in S. S. She is a leader in the missionary work of the church.

CHILDREN.

Daisie Adele, b. Mar. 10, 1872, d. July 22, 1881.

Berthold E., b. Feb. 4, 1875.

Carl H., b. April 15, 1876.

Winifred J., b. Mar. 1, 1880.

Ivah L., b. July 18, 1884.

Irene, b. July 31, 1886, d. Aug. 3, 1886.

Ruth A., b. Feb. 9, 1888.

All the children were born in Parma.

DAISIE ADELE STROUD

Daisie Adele, eldest child of Alice C. and Byron O. Stroud, was born March 10, 1872, and in very early childhood won the love of a large circle of friends by the beauty and loveliness of her spirit. She possessed a sweetness and gentleness that shed a fragrance like that of the sweetest flower.

Hers was the most tender conscience I have ever known and her spirit the most sensitive to impressions of good. But her sensitiveness made her fearful only lest she should fail in her duty to others.

The following incidents show something of how tender her conscience was: Her mother had told her that she must not loiter on her way home from school. One afternoon she

came from school with the tears streaming from her eyes and said, "Oh, mamma! I disobeyed you tonight. As I passed Mrs. Macklin's she came out with her baby in her arms. And I stopped to kiss the baby before I thought that I was loitering." The mother quickly dried the tears by telling her little daughter that she did not consider that greeting the baby on the road was violating her command not to loiter.

A few months before Daisie died her mother found her one Sabbath afternoon sobbing bitterly. To the question, "What is the matter, darling?" the reply came, "Oh, mamma! I am such a sinner." Gathering the child in her arms, the mother simply and tenderly told of the Christ who died that her sins might be forgiven.

In July, 1881, scarlet fever entered this happy home. The three younger children were recovering from the dread disease when Daisie was taken with the fever, and after a brief illness her gentle spirit went to God who gave it.

BERTHOLD EMERY STROUD

Berthold E.⁵ (son Alice⁴, daughter Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the elder son of Alice C. and Byron O. Stroud. He was born Feb. 4, 1875. "Bert," as he is generally known, was educated in the district schools of Parma, in Berea high school, and in Berkey & Dyke Business College, Cleveland. He secured a position with the Sterling Welch Co., one of the largest carpet and furnishing houses, and for several years had charge of the rug department. In 1912 he resigned this position and, in partnership with his brother, took the general agency for Ohio for the sale of the Domestic vacuum carpet cleaner.

He was married Oct. 14, 1909, to Miss Amy Ford, daughter of James Ford. She was born May 19, 1884, in Pittsburgh, Pa.



AMY FORD STROUD AND SON FORD



FORD EMERY STROUD

Mr. Stroud united with the Parma Presbyterian church in 1891 and has since been actively employed in the work of the church. He resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

CHILDREN.

Ford Emery, b. April 18, 1911.

Gordon Mosely, b. Aug. 30, 1913.

CARL HODGMAN STROUD

Carl H.⁵ (son Alice⁴, daughter Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), second son of Alice C. and Byron O. Stroud, was born April 15, 1876, in Parma, Ohio. He passed through the district school, graduated from Berea high school, and the Berkey & Dyke Business College, Cleveland.

Through his ability and faithfulness he reached the head of his department in the large dry goods house of Wm. Taylor Sons, Cleveland. He gave up this position in 1912 to take, with his brother, the general agency of Ohio for the sale of the Domestic vacuum carpet cleaner. Carl united with the Parma Presbyterian church in 1891. He has taken his place among the earnest workers of the church, especially in S. S. and Christian Endeavor work. He is unmarried and resides in Cleveland, Ohio.

WINIFRED J. STROUD

Winifred Julia⁵ (daughter Alice⁴, daughter Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), is a daughter of Alice C. and Byron O. Stroud. She was born March 1, 1880. Winifred fitted herself in the district school, Berea high school, and the normal department of Baldwin University, Berea, for her work as teacher.

At 17 years of age she began to teach. She was employed in the Parma schools 14 years, having taught five years in her

second school and eight in her third school. She is now a teacher in the Cleveland schools.

She is a member of the Presbyterian church and is a faithful, earnest teacher in the S. S. and a leader in Christian Endeavor work.

IVAH LUCY STROUD

Ivah Lucy⁵ (daughter Alice⁴, daughter Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), received her education in the school near her home, in the Berea high school and in the normal department of Baldwin University. She studied music for several years.

She is a member of the Presbyterian church and is an officer in the S. S. and in the C. E. Society. At present she is the housekeeper and homemaker in her father's family.

RUTH ALICE STROUD

Ruth Alice⁵, the youngest daughter of Alice C. and Byron O. Stroud, was born Feb. 9, 1888. Having passed through the district school she graduated from the Lincoln high school, Cleveland. She then studied music and painting for three years. She united with the Presbyterian church in her 15th year and is a worker in all branches of church work. She is a sweet singer and is frequently called to sing at concerts and social gatherings. At present she is employed in the office of her brothers in Cleveland.

KENDRICK KANE HODGMAN

Kendrick K.⁴ (son Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), secured his education in the district school and in Richfield high school. Commencing in 1878 he taught 18 terms in the schools of Parma and Brooklyn.



KENDRICK KANE HODGMAN

He studied law under the direction of Anson W. Beman, Esq., of Cleveland, and in February, 1876, passed examination at Columbus, Ohio, and was admitted to practice as an attorney and counsellor at law. The year 1891 he spent in Columbus as assistant clerk of the State Board of Equalization. In 1901 he was clerk of the Cuyahoga County Board of Equalization. He was census enumerator for Parma in 1890 and again in 1910. He served three years as justice of the peace.

On October 12, 1881, he was married to Helen Louise Hauserman, who was born in Parma April 25, 1854. She was the daughter of Frederick and Angeline Snell Hauserman. Mr. and Mrs. Hodgman united with the Presbyterian church in 1891. Mr. H. was teacher of the Bible class many years and since 1898 has been superintendent of a Mission S. S. Mrs. Hodgman has been a devoted S. S. teacher since she was 17 years old, and has been a willing helper in all church work.

CHILDREN.

Kenneth Ethelbert, b. Aug. 30, 1882.

Hazel Helen, b. Jan. 17, 1885.

Ethel Eliza, b. Sept. 3, 1887, d. Feb. 22, 1899.

Oren, b. May 19, 1890, d. May 29, 1890.

Merton William, b. Nov. 7, 1891.

The children were all born at the old homestead where their father was born.

KENNETH ETHELBERT HODGMAN

Kenneth E.⁵ (son Kendrick⁴, son Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the oldest of the children of Kendrick K. and Helen L. Hodgman. He was born Aug. 30, 1882. He passed through the district school and entered West high school, Cleveland, when 14 years old. He graduated as valedictorian of the class of 1900.

He entered Western Reserve University or Adelbert college the same year and completed the course of the first year. On account of being troubled with catarrh a change of climate was advised. He spent the year Sept. 1, 1901-2, in New Mexico.

While in New Mexico he was in the employ of U. S. civil engineers engaged in irrigating canal work. He then returned to Adelbert college and graduated in the class of 1905. He spent a year in doing farm work. In May, 1906, he entered the employ of the C. B. & Q. R. R. and was employed as a civil engineer on the division between La Crosse, Wis., and St. Paul, Minn. He remained with the C. B. & Q. R. R. till February, 1908.

He then went to Seattle, Wash., and entered the service of the North Western Engineering Co. He spent some time at Spokane, and one summer in Montana. The past three years he has spent in Oregon, being located in Portland during the winter and at LaPine in the summer time. He has been chiefly employed on irrigating canal work. Since his early childhood Kenneth has belonged to the S. S. army. He united with the Parma Presbyterian church February 2, 1896.

HAZEL HELEN HODGMAN

Hazel Helen⁵ (daughter Kendrick⁴, son Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Jan. 17, 1885, in Parma, Ohio. After attending the district school she entered Berea high school and then attended the normal department at Baldwin University, Berea. She began teaching in 1902 and for six years was employed in the Parma schools, four years being spent in her home district. Her mother's feeble health made it necessary for her to give up her work as teacher and assume the charge of her father's household, where she patiently



Sitting K. K. HODGMAN, HAZEL H. HODGMAN, HELEN L. HODGMAN
Standing MERTON W. HODGMAN, KENNETH E. HODGMAN



ETHEL ELIZA HODGMAN

and faithfully served four years. Her mother's improved health left Hazel free to return to teaching and she is now engaged in the work. When 11 years old she united with the Parma Presbyterian church and has ever been ready for what her hands found to do in S. S., Christian Endeavor, or any department of church work.

ETHEL ELIZA HODGMAN

Ethel E. from her earliest childhood manifested an obedient, trustful spirit. When her playmates were saddened over some disappointment in their plans for a holiday she would say with a smile, "If Jesus wishes it to rain it is all right." We copy from The Advertiser of Berea, Ohio, for March 19, 1899, the following "In Memoriam":

Death having garnered two who were ripe in years and experience, now turned to pluck a flower, and took Ethel E., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Hodgman. After many months of suffering, her gentle spirit took its flight Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 22, and went to "rest in Jesus' arms," where she had so longed to be. Eleven years and five months was the measure of her brief life, yet in that short time she had endeared herself to a large circle of friends.

Over a year ago her health became so poor that she gave up attendance at school. But it was not till May that her friends learned that her mission on earth was nearly ended. Her physicians pronounced her trouble enlargement of the heart and said that medicine could not cure her. She slowly and steadily failed. For three months, beginning with October, she had a terrible cough. These paroxysms of coughing lasted from four to six hours. Often the whole night was spent in coughing, without rest or relief. It was at the close of such a night of suffering that she said to her mother, "I shall be no better till I am at rest in Jesus' arms."

On another night when she had found no rest from these terrible paroxysms of coughing, just before morning her mother began to weep at sight of the suffering of her child. Ethel looked up with a smile, saying, "Mamma, it is all right if Jesus wishes me to cough."

When the cough left her, dropsy set in and her lower limbs became so swollen that the skin burst. For forty-four days and nights she could not lie down. She sat in her chair. The only rest she had was to lean her head on a stand placed in front of her. And so she died.

She bore all her pain and weariness without a murmur. No fretful words passed her lips. Her trust in Jesus, her Saviour, ever sustained her and helped her to bear all with a patience and resignation that seemed marvelous to those who witnessed her suffering. One time she said to one attending her, "I am so weak, so weak. Ask Jesus for strength." "I do often ask him to strengthen you," was the reply. "But ask Him now and aloud," was the request. She often asked those about her to pray with her.

Once in prayer for herself she was overheard to say, "Dear Jesus, come very near to me and make me feel that you are here."

She had no fear or dread of death. She talked freely of dying. She made most of the arrangements for her funeral service and gave tokens of remembrance to her friends. "Don't feel too badly when I am gone," she said.

The morning of the day on which she died, she said to her mother, "I think I shall go to heaven today. Oh, I am so glad!"

A few moments before her gentle spirit took its flight, she said, "Now sing me to sleep." The song was interrupted. She said, "Now finish it." Her lips and brow were even then



CLARENCE CHARLES HODGMAN

touched by the hand of death. A few gasps for breath and she was "asleep" in the arms where she had so often wished to be.

The funeral services were held at the home of her father and were conducted by the Rev. J. Spencer, of Cleveland. Mrs. Spencer, who was her Sunday school teacher for several years, spoke very tenderly of Ethel's beautiful life. There were many lovely floral tributes from friends. Her teacher and school-mates gave a beautiful broken floral wheel.

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MERTON WILLIAM HODGMAN

Merton William, youngest child of K. K. and Helen Hodgman, was born Nov. 7, 1891. He graduated from the district school June, 1905. He spent one year in the eighth grade school in Cleveland and graduated from Lincoln high school in 1910. He is now a student in Case School of Applied Science in Cleveland and is preparing himself to be a civil engineer.

He united with the Presbyterian church when he was 14 years old.

CLARENCE CHARLES HODGMAN

Clarence C. Hodgman⁴ (son Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), the youngest in the family of Robert and Julia Beels Hodgman, is a respected farmer in Parma township. He was born in this township July 31, 1855, and reared here on his father's farm. His father died when Clarence was only 8 years old. He had thus early in life to take a part in the work of carrying on the farm, and at an age when most boys are free from care he was doing a man's work and bearing a man's responsibility.

He has spent his whole life in Parma with the exception of the year 1891, when he resided in Brooklyn village.

All his life he has been engaged in agricultural pursuits and dairying. In political faith he was a republican. He served four years as assessor of the township. He was married December 6, 1877, to Miss Emmet E. Humphries, who was born in Parma Aug. 30, 1855. She is the daughter of Henry and Caroline Day Humphries, who were born in England and married there. They came to Parma in 1850. Mrs. Hodgman united with the Presbyterian church in 1874.

Mr. Hodgman is a quiet, unassuming man, respected by all for his integrity and uprightness.

They own a well improved farm of 75 acres on which they have built a beautiful home and good farm buildings.

CHILDREN.

Alice Maude, b. in Parma, Jan. 6, 1881.

Harvey Henry, b. in Parma, Feb. 24, 1882.

Elsie Elizabeth, b. in Brooklyn, April 28, 1891.

ALICE MAUD JAMES

Alice M.⁵ (daughter Clarence⁴, son Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Jan. 6, 1881. She was prevented by ill health from attending school after she finished in the district school. She is a natural musician and possesses a sweet voice and she has ministered greatly to the pleasure of the home circle by means of these gifts. She is noted for her skill and neatness as a housekeeper. She was married March 26, 1908, to James William James, who was born in Cleveland May 8, 1881. Mr. James is a gardener by occupation. Their home is in Parma. Mr. and Mrs. James are members of the Presbyterian church. Mrs. Hodgman is church treasurer and Mr. James church trustee.

CHILD.

Clara Caroline, b. Nov. —, 1912.



CLARA C. JAMES

HARVEY HENRY HODGMAN

Harvey H.⁵ (son Clarence⁴, son Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Parma, Ohio, Feb. 24, 1882. After leaving school he engaged with his father in farming and dairying, in which pursuits he is still employed. He was married June 28, 1911, to Miss Bertha May Stevens, who was born in Parma Oct. 20, 1884.

Miss Stevens was a successful teacher in the public schools for several years. Mr. and Mrs. Hodgman are members of Parma Presbyterian church.

ELSIE ELIZABETH HODGMAN

Elsie E.⁵ (daughter Clarence⁴, son Julia³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Brooklyn village, Ohio, April 28, 1891, during the year her father's family resided there. Elsie finished the course in the Parma district schools, and spent two years in the grammar schools of Cleveland. She entered Lincoln high school, but during her second year the sickness of her father compelled her to withdraw from school. She united with the Presbyterian church in her early girlhood. Elsie was the housekeeper in her father's household for a time. On July 24, 1913, she became the wife of William Stroud, who has taken her to his home in the adjoining township of Middleburgh.

LUCY A. STROUD-WARD

Lucy Ann Hodgman, foster daughter of Robert and Julia A. Hodgman, is a niece of Mr. Hodgman's. She was born in Parma, Ohio, Dec. 25, 1838. At 11 years of age she was left an orphan. Mr. and Mrs. Hodgman reared her as their own daughter and we think she is worthy of a place in the family history.

She was married to Jacob Stroud on Dec. 25, 1855, and assumed the place of mother to his two young boys. Two children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Stroud, Sally, who died at three years of age, and Robert Harvey, born March 6, 1860. Harvey suffered all his life from curvature of the spine. He died April 1, 1898. Jacob Stroud died Oct. 6, 1862.

Mrs. Stroud was married to Daniel W. Ward April 6, 1864. They soon went to live on the farm cleared by Abner S. Beels in the eastern part of Parma. A daughter, Nellie, was born to them in December, 1865. She married Henry J. Schaaf and has two children, Ruby, born May 5, —, and Ward, born May 1, 1893.

Daniel W. Ward died July 7, 1890.

Ruby married Edgar Thomas of Royalton, Ohio, and has two sons, Glenn Edgar, aged 4 years, and Henry, who is one year old.

Mrs. Lucy A. Ward, her daughter Nellie, and granddaughter, Ruby Thomas, with their families live in the old home. Their husbands are engaged in farming and dairying.

Mrs. Ward united with the Parma Presbyterian church in 1893. She is of a sunny, happy disposition, and is a welcome guest wherever she goes.

ABNER S. BEELS, JUNIOR

Abner S.³ (son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Parma, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio, July 18, 1825. His boyhood was spent in helping his father to clear the farm which became their home. He obtained a common school education.

When 18 years old he went to Plymouth township, Sheboygan Co., Wis., where he purchased and cleared an 80 acre farm. Here on March 18, 1849, he was married to Miss Martha M. Burton, who was born Sept. 4, 1829.



ABNER S. BEELS, JR. AND SON

In 1858 he sold his farm and moved his family to the vicinity of Rochester, Minn., where he took up a homestead on the prairie. He remained here, however, only one winter when he returned to Wisconsin and purchased a farm near the one he sold the year before.

In 1861 he left Wisconsin and returned to Parma, Ohio. He worked his father's farm one year. He then purchased a canal boat, from 1864 to 1868 was engaged in carrying freight from Cleveland to Massillon and other points on the canal and returning with a cargo of coal.

His family resided in Brighton (now South Brooklyn) for a time and in Brooklyn Center from 1864 to 1868.

He gave up boating and having prepared two covered wagons, or prairie schooners as they were often called, in September, 1868, he removed his family and his goods to Hazelton, Buchanan Co., Iowa., and later to Sumner, Bremer Co., Iowa. Here he engaged in farming and carpentering until 1883 when he went to South Dakota and settled on a 160 acre pre-emption claim four miles from Wessington Springs, where he lived until 1903.

His wife, Martha, died Jan. 24, 1892, after having shared his joys and sorrows for 43 years. She was a sincere Christian, a faithful wife and a devoted mother.

On Dec. 14, 1893, he married Mrs. Prudence Maxwell, who was born Jan. 15, 1839, in Allegheny Co., N. Y. She died in 1903. He then went to live in the home of his youngest daughter, Mrs. Cora F. Hausner, near Wessington Springs. About two years before his death he had a paralytic stroke which made him nearly helpless. He died April 16, 1907, at the home of his daughter.

Mr. Beels was an active, hardworking man till near the close of his life, and endured much of hardship and privation. But he bore all uncomplainingly and with a humble trust in

the wisdom of God. In boyhood he united with the Free-will Baptist church in Parma. On leaving Parma he united with the Congregational church of which he was ever a devoted and consistent member.

His last words were "It is enough," and he passed peacefully away.

CHILDREN.

George Nelson, b. May 19, 1850.

Alfred Elihu, b. Jan. 5, 1852, d. Jan. 27, 1861.

Alice Ellen, b. Nov. 14, 1853.

Albert Ai, b. Sept. 25, 1855, d. Sept. 1, 1890.

Clara Delila, b. April 16, 1858, d. May 14, 1874.

Julia Minnie, b. April 26, 1860.

Cora Frances, b. Dec. 2, 1865.

Lewis Abner, b. Aug. 14, 1872.

Charles Henry, b. Oct. 7, 1863, d. Oct. 11, 1863.

The six oldest children were born in Linden township, near Plymouth, in Sheboygan Co., Wis.

Cora Francis was born in Brooklyn, Ohio, and Lewis Abner in Sumner, Iowa.

GEORGE NELSON BEELS

George Nelson Beels, eldest child of Abner S. Beels, Jr., and Martha M. Beels, was born May 19, 1850, in Linden township, near Plymouth, in Sheboygan Co., Wis., where his father cleared a farm in the timber. At the age of 8 years the family moved to Rochester, Minn., where they wintered on a homestead. They returned the following spring to a farm in Linden, Wis., and lived there until 1861 when they moved to Parma township, in Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. After a year spent on the farm, father and son spent the next five years on the Ohio canal, running from Cleveland to Portsmouth. The family was stationed first at Brighton and later at Brooklyn, near Cleveland, where George attended school and high school at Brooklyn.

In 1868 the family emigrated by wagon to Buchanan Co., Iowa, where he attended high school, worked on the farm, taught country school for several winter terms, spent one year peddling sewing machines, and finally graduated from the law school of the Iowa State University at Iowa City in June, 1875.

In the spring of 1876 he settled down to the practice of law at Norfolk, Neb., where he has since resided. For a time he was associated with the law firm of Beels & Schoregge. He became an active worker in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and in 1879 served as Grand Master. He afterward served for two terms of two years each as Grand Representative in the Sovereign Lodge of the Order. He was author of Beels' Digest of the Odd Fellows' laws of Nebraska. He was active in all public matters, social and political. He was twice defeated, in 1908 and 1910, in campaign for member of the Legislature on republican ticket.

In 1893, after a semi-invalidism lasting through thirty years, broken in health and abandoned by the doctors, he was restored to health through Christian Science, and has since been a student and practitioner of the cult. In June, 1889, he was married to his cousin, Mrs. Cora A. Beels-Gray. They have no children.

ALICE BEELS VOORHES

Alice Ellen Beels⁴ (daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Nov. 14, 1853, in Lyndon, Sheboygan Co., Wis. In 1861 her father removed to Parma, near Cleveland, Ohio. One year was spent in the vilalge of Brighton and in 1864 the family took up its residence in Brooklyn Center, where Alice attended school. In September, 1868, her father removed his family in wagons to Hazelton, Iowa. Alice was an energetic, competent girl and the housekeeper of her father's

family. She was married June 1, 1870, to Ezra Voorhes, who was born April 6, 1848.

Mr. and Mrs. Voorhes resided in Fayette Co., Iowa, till 1884, when they removed to Wessington Springs, Jerauld Co., S. Dak., where they still reside. Mrs. Voorhes united with the church while she was young. For several years her health has been poor and she has been unable to enter into the social life about her as she once did.

CHILDREN.

Manly LeRoy, b. Aug. 27, 1871.

Duane Monroe, b. Mar. 17, 1874.

Clara Luella, b. Oct. 6, 1875.

Arthur Francis, b. July 27, 1879.

Blanch Ruthanne, b. May 19, 1883.

Archie Byron, b. Jan. 28, 1885.

Lester Leon, b. Jan. 31, 1887.

Inez Ethel, b. Dec. 17, 1888.

MANLY LEROY VOORHES

Manly LeRoy⁵ (son Alice Voorhes⁴, daughter Abner Beels³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Jefferson, Fayette Co., Iowa, Aug. 27, 1871. His childhood was spent in that county. When he was 13 years old his father removed to Wessington Springs, S. Dak. Manly Voorhes has been occupied as a farmer all his life. He early united with the Baptist church. He served as treasurer of his township for one term. He was married Oct. 25, 1899, to Miss Ida Mae Moulton, who was born Oct. 14, 1877. His wife was a member of the M. E. church. Their married life was brief, as the wife and mother was called from earth April 30, 1903.

CHILDREN.

Orville Moulton, b. Nov. 1, 1901.

Verle Manly, b. April 1, 1903, d. Nov. 20, 1903.

DUANE MONROE VOORHES

Duane Monroe⁵ (son Alice Voorhes⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Hazelton, Iowa, March 17, 1874. In 1884 he went with his father's family to Wessington Springs, S. Dak., where he has since resided. He united with the Baptist church in his boyhood. His occupation was farming until 1907. Since then he has been engaged in digging wells.

On Sept. 25, 1895, he was married to Miss Mildred S. Price, who was born April 28, 1878.

CHILDREN.

Hazel Desire, b. Dec. 5, 1896.

Dwight Hugh, b. July 29, 1898.

Neva Lorena, b. Oct. 23, 1899.

Oda Beatrice, b. Mar. 1, 1901.

Claude Price, b. June 24, 1904.

Roy Monroe, b. Jan. 4, 1906, d. Nov. 14, 1906.

Grace Marie, b. Mar. 11, 1910.

CLARA L. VOORHES HOUSEMAN

Clara Luella⁵ (daughter Alice Voorhes⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), eldest daughter of Alice and Ezra Voorhes, was born in Hazelton, Iowa, Oct. 6, 1875. When she was nine years old her father removed with his family to Wessington Springs, S. Dak. She attended district school in that then new country. In her girlhood she united with the Baptist church. After her marriage she united with the Congregational church to which her husband belongs. She married James Albert Houseman Jan. 6, 1896. He was born April 5, 1856. He is a mason by trade. Before his marriage he taught school for seven years. He attended the Lombarg Theological college for a time. Their home is in Wessington Springs, S. Dak.

CHILDREN.

Nellie Elizabeth, b. May 30, 1897.

Ward Emerson, b. Oct. 10, 1900.

Ruth Alice, b. June 20, 1902.

ARTHUR FRANCIS VOORHES

Arthur Francis Voorhes⁵ (son Alice⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Freemont, Fayette Co., Iowa, on July 27, 1879. When he was 5 years old his father's family removed to Wessington Springs, Jerauld Co., S. Dak. Here on a great western farm his boyhood was spent. He afterward worked at the mason's trade. For several years he has been in the employ of a railroad company.

He was married to Miss Lillian M. Hoffman Sept. 11, 1906. She was born June 17, 1888. They reside in Wessington Springs.

CHILDREN.

Sylvie Louise Marjorie, b. Sept. 30, 1907.

Marion Marguerite, b. Aug. 5, 1909.

Vernon Dale, b. Sept. 9, 1911.

BLANCHE R. VOORHES SMITH

Blanche Ruthanne⁵ (daughter Alice Voorhes⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), had her birth in Freemont, Iowa, on May 19, 1883. The following year the family removed to Wessington Springs, S. Dak., and here amid the stirring events on a great Dakota farm her childhood passed.

She married F. Olin Smith Sept. 4, 1901. He was born April 14, 1877.

Mrs. Smith is a member of the Universalist church of Wessington Springs.

CHILDREN.

Esther Lulu, b. July 9, 1902.

Ezra Ross, b. Mar. 13, 1904.

Gerald Eugene, b. Mar. 29, 1909.

ARCHIE BYRON VOORHES

Archie Byron⁵, son of Alice and Ezra Voorhes, was born on their great farm in Wessington Springs, S. Dak., Jan. 28, 1885. He was employed on the farm until 1910, when he purchased machinery and took up the work of well digging. He is a healer in the Christian Science church. He is unmarried.

LESTER LEON VOORHES

Lester Leon⁵, youngest son of Alice and Ezra Voorhes, was born Jan. 31, 1887, at Wessington Springs, S. Dak.

He is a machinist and is employed in a garage in Wessington Springs. He is single and lives with his parents.

INEZ ETHEL VOORHES

Inez Ethel, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Voorhes, was born Dec. 17, 1888, on the farm at Wessington Springs. She is unmarried and her home is with her parents.

ALBERT A. BEELS

Albert A.⁴ (son Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Linden, Wis., Sept. 25, 1855. He was a resident of Cuyahoga Co., Ohio, from 1861 to 1868. Here he attended school in Brighton and in Brooklyn near Cleveland. During most of the time his father was engaged in running a canal boat. Albert was employed as a driver on the canal. After the family removed to Iowa he attended school in Sumner. He went to Kansas where he taught school for a few years. But failing health led him to go to the home of his father, Abner S. Beels, near Wessington Springs, S. Dak., where he died Sept. 1, 1890. His sister writes, "He died in the triumphs of the living faith."

CLARA D. BEELS

Clara D., daughter of Abner S. and Martha Beels, had her birth in Linden, Wis., April 16, 1858. When she was 3 years old her father moved to Parma, Ohio. From 1862 to 1868 they lived in Brooklyn village, a suburb of Cleveland. In 1868 they went to Hazelton, Iowa, and after a time to Sumner, Iowa, where Clara died May 14, 1874, aged 16 years. She was an amiable, lovable girl. Although not a member of the church she was a Christian and died rejoicing that she was going to be for ever with Jesus, whom she loved.

JULIA M. BEELS BROADBENT

Julia Minnie⁴ (daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Sheboygan Co., Wis., April 26, 1860. When she was a year old her father's family removed to the vicinity of Cleveland, Ohio, and remained there till September, 1868. The family then made the long journey from Cleveland to Hazelton, Iowa, in covered wagons, and later they went to Sumner, Bremer Co., Iowa.

On June 2, 1878, Julia was married to Luther D. Broadbent, who was born Nov. 24, 1851. Mr. Broadbent is a farmer. For ten years they lived on a farm in Bremer Co., Iowa. In 1888 they went to Nebraska, taking with them stock enough to exchange for a farm. The great blizzard destroyed much of their stock. They remained in Plainview, Antelope Co., Neb., for four years and then removed to Bloomfield, Knox Co., Neb. Three years of drought here resulted in the loss of nearly all their property. A year was spent on a farm in Missouri. They lived a year at Mustang, Okla. They then purchased a farm at Butler, Custer Co., Okla., where they now reside. But sickness, drought, scorching winds and other disasters have followed them in quick succession during their residence there.

Mrs. Broadbent is a member of the Baptist church. She is the mother of 16 children, 13 of whom are still living. Her life has been full of toil and hardship.

CHILDREN.

Lydia Jane, b. Aug. 23, 1879, d. May 22, 1903.

Fred, b. Aug. 5, 1880.

Hayes, b. Nov. 26, 1882.

Maud, b. Mar. 27, 1884.

Olonzo, b. April 6, 1885.

Asenath, b. May 6, 1887.

Elsie, b. Mar. 19, 1889, d. Aug. 8, 1889.

Hattie, b. June 23, 1890.

Russel, b. Oct. 21, 1891.

Edward, b. April 29, 1893.

Cynthia, b. April 29, 1895.

Glenn O., b. May 11, 1897.

Alma, b. Aug. 1, 1899, d. Aug. 3, 1899.

Nancy Pearl, b. June 3, 1901.

Ray William, b. Nov. 10, 1902.

Ralph D., b. Jan. 10, 1905.

The first six children were born in Bremer Co., Iowa. The next three in Plainview, Neb. Edward, Cynthia and Glenn were born in Bloomfield, Neb. Nancy, Ray and Ralph were born in Butler, Okla.

Soon after their arrival in Oklahoma, Edward, then six years old, found a cap used with dynamite cartridges. He pounded it and it exploded, putting out both of his eyes. His parents sent him to the Asylum for the Blind at Guthrie, where he is gaining an education and learning a trade.

LYDIA J. BROADBENT JONES

Lydia Jane⁵ (daughter Julia⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Bremer Co., Iowa, Aug. 23, 1879. When she was 10 years old her father removed to Nebraska. She and her brother Fred were to gradu-

ate in a few weeks from high school at Bloomfield, Neb., when the sickness of their father compelled them to leave school, Fred to take charge of the farm and Lydia to teach school, that she might help care for the family. She remained in Nebraska teaching two years after the family left for Oklahoma. She rejoined her father's family at Butler, Okla. She was married May 18, 1902, to Lorenzo Dow Jones, who took her to his farm twenty miles away. A little girl was born to them May 16, 1903. When the baby was but a few days old a cyclone struck their home. The nurse reached the cyclone cellar with the baby. The husband attempted to carry the mother to this safe retreat. But the storm struck the house before he could get out.

The house was overturned and wrecked. When the husband regained consciousness he found himself lying on the ground some distance away. Returning to the ruins of his home he at length found the dead body of his wife. Her last words had been, "Lay me down; God will take care of me." We believe he had cared for her by taking her to be forever with the Lord, whom she loved. Her beautiful, unselfish life on earth ended May 22, 1903.

CHILD.

Edith May, b. May 16, 1903.

FRED BROADBENT

Fred⁵ (son Julia⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the eldest son of Julia and Luther Broadbent. He was born Aug. 5, 1880, in Bremer Co., Iowa. In 1888 his father's family removed to Plainview, Neb., and four years later to Bloomfield, Neb. He was nearly ready to graduate from the high school in Bloomfield when the sickness of his father compelled him to leave school and carry on the work

on the farm. He accompanied his father's family to Butler, Okla., in 1899. He was married in Sept. 1908, to Miss Lulu Burt. The marriage proved an unhappy one and in a year they separated. He spent a few months in Montana herding sheep. He is now located in Kansas City and is engaged in concrete building work.

HAYES BROADBENT

Hayes⁵, (son Julia⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹,) is a son of Julia and Luther Broadbent and was born Nov. 26, 1882, in Bremer Co., Iowa. When he was 6 years old his father removed to Plainview, Neb, and four years later to Bloomfield, Neb. Here he attended school and worked on the farm until 1899 when the family sought a new home in Butler, Okla. He shared the labors and hardships of the family till 1904.

On Sept. 14, 1904, he was married to Miss May Cochran. He purchased land of his father near home, where he is now engaged in farming.

CHILDREN.

Hazel Jane, b. Sept. 4, 1905.

William Edward, b. Mar. 3, 1907.

Grace Alice, b. Oct. 6, 1908, d. Feb. 16. 1909.

Ella Leah, b. Mar. 16, 1911.

MAUD BROADBENT JONES

Maud⁵ (daughter Julia⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the fourth of the children of Julia and Luther Broadbent. She had her birth in Bremer Co., Iowa, March 27, 1884. When she was about 5 years old her father removed to Nebraska. In Plainview and Bloomfield in that state her childhood was spent amid the hardships of pioneer life in that newly settled state. In 1899 the family

removed to the recently opened reservations in Oklahoma. She was married June 1, 1905, to Lorenzo Dow Jones, who was the husband of her deceased sister, Lydia. Their home is in Grow, Okla., where they are engaged in farming.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones are members of the church of Friends (Quaker) and are earnest, consecrated Christians.

CHILDREN.

Lorenzo Garfield, b. May 4, 1906, d. June 6, 1910.

Thomas Ernest, b. July 12, 1907.

Clara Margaret, b. June 7, 1909, d. Nov. 25, 1909.

Wilbur Charles, b. Aug. 24, 1910.

Louis Milton, b. June 12, 1912.

OLONZO BROADBENT

Olonzo⁵, son of Julia and Luther Broadbent, was born in Sumner, Bremer Co., Iowa, April 6, 1885. In 1888 the family removed to Nebraska, where in Plainview and Bloomfield, the years were spent till 1899. The family then removed to Butler, Okla. When he became of age Olonzo took up a homestead northwest of Butler, Okla., where he is engaged in farming. He is unmarried.

ASENATH BROADBENT

Asenath Broadbent⁵, third daughter of Julia and Luther Broadbent, was born May 6, 1887, in Sumner, Bremer Co., Iowa. She followed the fortunes of the family through Nebraska to Oklahoma, where she now resides with her parents. She is engaged in teaching. She is a member of the Presbyterian church.

HATTIE BROADBENT

Hattie⁵, fifth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Broadbent, was born June 23, 1890, in Plainview, Neb. In 1899 she accompanied her parents to Butler, Okla. Here she patiently

prepared herself for teaching and is now teaching school. She is a member of the Baptist church. She is unmarried.

Russell Broadbent, the ninth of the children of Julia and Luther Broadbent, had his birth Oct. 21, 1891, in Plainview, Neb. He is a farmer and is working with his father on the farm at Butler, Okla.

Edward Broadbent⁵, son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Broadbent, was born in Bloomfield, Neb., April 29, 1893. On March 29, 1899, a few days after the family reached Butler, Okla., the boy found a dynamite cartridge that had been dropped by some well diggers. The cartridge exploded and both Edward's eyes were destroyed. He is now at Austin, Tex., in a school for the blind, where he is preparing himself for the coming years of blindness. He is patient, cheerful and brave. He is a member of the Presbyterian church.

CYNTHIA BROADBENT SCOTT

Cynthia⁵ (daughter Julia⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), eleventh child of Julia and Luther Broadbent, was born April 29, 1895, in Bloomfield, Neb. She attended school in Butler, Okla., and was nearly prepared to teach when she decided on a school with one pupil. She was married Nov. 29, 1912, to Mitchell Scott. He is a barber by occupation. Their home is in Butler, Okla.

CORA F. BEELS HOUSNER

Cora Frances⁴ (daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), youngest daughter of Abner S. and Martha Beels, was born Dec. 2, 1865, in Brooklyn village, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. In September, 1868, her father removed to Sumner,

Bremer Co., Iowa, where the family spent several years. She passed through the grammar grades and high school in Sumner. In 1883 Mr. Beels removed to Media township, near Wessington Springs, S. Dak. Cora Frances was married April 3, 1889, to George Lewis Housner, who was born Dec. 28, 1857. She united with the Baptist church June 3, 1883. After her marriage she and her husband united with the Congregational church. Mrs. Housner is a woman of faith, and consecrated and earnest in her religious life. She nursed and cared for her father during the closing years of his life when he was helpless as a child. Her home is on the farm in Media, where her father lived.

CHILDREN.

Mabel Elizabeth, b. April 11, 1890.

Edwin George, b. May 26, 1893.

Zaida Martha, b. Aug. 11, 1897.

Lloyd Leonard, b. May 16, 1891.

MABEL E. HOUSNER WINEGARDEN

Mabel E.⁵ (daughter Cora F.⁴, daughter Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹), oldest child of Cora F. and George Housner, was born April 11, 1890, in Media township, S. Dak. She attended the home school and then high school at Wessington Springs. She was married on April 3, 1910, to Harris Winegarden. He was born Nov. 28, 1882, in Humboldt Co., Iowa. Mrs. Winegarden is a member of the M. E. church.

CHILD.

Ada Ione, b. Oct. 12, 1913.

Edwin George Housner was married July 4, 1913, to Miss Nina M. Coleman, who was born Jan. 30, 1897.



HODGMAN-BEELS GROUP

JANE E. HODGMAN

WILLIAM G. BEELS

HARRIET E. STEVENS

JULIA A. HODGMAN

LEWIS ABNER BEELS

Lewis A.⁴ (son Abner³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) is the youngest child of Abner S. and Martha Beels. He was born August 14, 1871 in Hazelton, Iowa. When 12 years of age he went with his father's family to Media, S. Dak. Having finished the common school branches in his home school he attended and graduated from the Mitchell University at Mitchell, S. Dak. He then graduated from business college at Sioux City, Iowa. He then learned the carpenter's trade. For several years he worked as a carpenter in Kansas City, Mo. Mr. Beels united with the Baptist church June 3, 1888 in Media. He was married on July 16, 1903 to Mrs. Estelline Johnson, of Sioux City. They went to Bonesteel County, S. Dakota in the fall of 1911 and took up a homestead claim there. They have no children.

JANE E. BEELS HODGMAN

Jane Elizabeth³ (daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Parma, Ohio, August 19, 1827. Her girlhood was spent in her father's home in the enjoyment of the pleasures and trials incident to pioneer life.

On January 2, 1849, she was married to Oliver Hodgman, a nephew of Robert Hodgman. From that time until 1867, her life was a migratory one as they moved from place to place as her husband found employment. A daughter writes: "I have counted up fifteen different houses in which mother has lived for a time." These places of residence were in Parma, Brooklyn and Middleburgh, Cuyahoga County, and in Eaton in Lorain County, Ohio, and in Bloomingdale, Mich.

In 1861 her husband enlisted in the 2nd Ohio Cavalry and served three years. Upon Mrs. Hodgman devolved the care of their five young children. Her burden of care was

greatly increased by the sickness of her husband, who for several weeks was in the hospital with typhoid fever. On her husband's return from the army, in October, 1864, he went with his family to Bloomingdale, Mich. He was employed there in a lumber camp. In 1867 he took up a homestead claim in Michigan near Lacota. The land was heavily timbered and it took years of hard labor to clear it. There were numerous swamps around them and for years the family suffered from malaria and ague. At one time all were sick but the daughter Ellen. They passed through many hardships and endured much suffering before the farm was cleared. But at last they had a comfortable home as a reward for the years of toil and hardship. Mr. Hodgman died August 18, 1878. He was born, 1825.

Mrs. Hodgman united with the Freewill Baptist church when she was 16 years old. Throughout her long life she has been an earnest, consistent Christian. In her youthful days she was proud and high spirited and at times she was rebellious over the hardships and deprivations she was called to pass through. But the grace of God enabled her to triumph over these things.

CHILDREN.

Mary Ellen, b. Feb. 11, 1850.

Olive Elma, b. Aug. 10, 1851.

Oliver Willis, b. Oct. 24, 1853.

Winfield Scot, b. Feb. 16, 1856, d. Dec. 3, 1878.

Jennie Eliza, b. Aug. 22, 1860.

Asa Burton, b. Nov. 13, 1867.

M. ELLEN HODGMAN BORDINE

M. Ellen⁴ (daughter Jane³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) oldest child of Jane and Oliver Hodgman, was born in Parma, Ohio, February 11, 1850. Her childhood was spent

in Parma where she gained a common school education. In October, 1867 the family moved to Michigan. Ellen was of a loving, unselfish disposition, ready at all times to sacrifice herself for the comfort of those about her. She was a devoted daughter and loving sister, the comforter and helper of her family circle. When the family moved to Lacota, Mich., Ellen taught school for a few years. Her earnings were spent for the family, not for herself. During the months of her brother Winfield's sickness, she was his devoted nurse and helper.

On May 20, 1883 she was married to Alfred Bordine and lovingly cared for his two motherless girls. Three children were born to her, but God called them from her in their infancy.

Mrs. Bordine saw the lack of religious instruction in a neighborhood near her. Assisted by her sister, Jennie, she gathered the children into a Sunday School which she superintended and carried on until her last sickness compelled her to relinquish the work. Out of this Sabbath School grew a church which carried on the work which she organized in the community.

She was a great sufferer for many months but no word of murmuring passed her lips. She witnessed a good confession and kept the faith until called, May 6, 1909, to receive her crown.

She had no thought of self. Her whole life was lovingly devoted to those around her. No matter what trial or vicissitude came to her, her faith and trust in her all-wise, all-loving Father never failed.

CHILDREN.

Alice J., b. Dec. 26, 1884, d. Sept. 18, 1885.

Gladys, b. Dec. 15, 1886, d. Dec. 20, 1886.

Cecil E., b. July 10, 1889, d. Oct. 19, 1889.

OLIVE E. HODGMAN ROBINSON

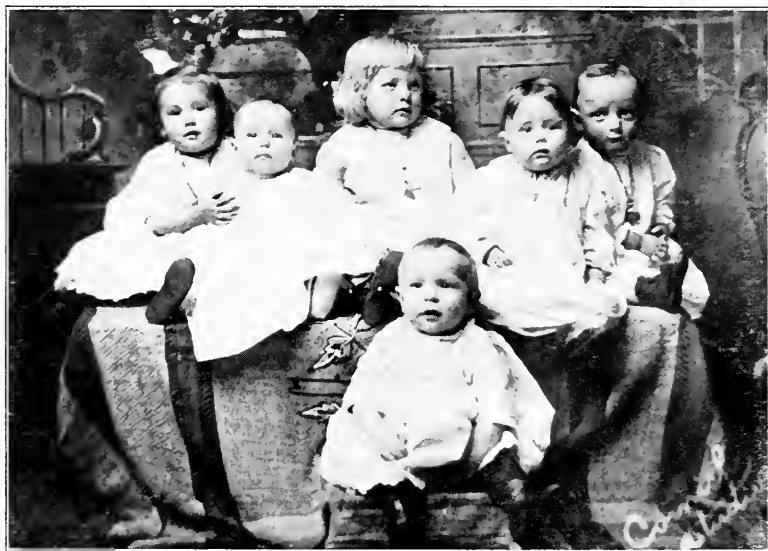
Olive Elma⁴ (daughter Jane³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) had her birth in Parma, Ohio, August 10, 1851. She attended school in Parma. The family removed to Bloomingdale, Mich., in October, 1864, and to Lee Township, Allegan County, Mich., in 1867. During the years she was at home she bore her share of the family burdens and hardships.

She was married July 2, 1871 to Charles W. Robinson, who was born in Cleveland, Ohio, on October 28, 1843. On July 3, 1871, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson went to Sturgis, St. Joe County, Mich., where they lived for two years on a farm owned by Mr. Robinson's father.

Mrs. Robinson writes:

"In November, 1873, Charles left Sturgis for Kansas. He soon after filed a claim on a quarter section of land in what was known as the Osage Trust Lands, situated near South Haven, Kan. He put up a claim house, 12 by 14 feet in dimensions. On March 20, 1874, I bade farewell to my friends near Lacota, Mich., and went to join my husband in our new home. On seeing it my first thought was, 'How can I live in such a little house?'

"On July 7, 1874, came the great Indian scare. When we arose in the morning people were passing, driving their stock before them, and their wagons loaded with such household goods as they could load on. They all seemed to be in a great hurry to get away. On our inquiring what was the trouble they told us that the Indians were on the war path and were then at a little place called Caldwell, murdering and scalping settlers. We did not know what to do. As we had an ox team only, it did not look like getting away very fast. Some of the neighbors came and proposed that as many of us as could should join forces and stay and fight the Indians. Five



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families of us gathered in the largest house in the neighborhood and waited and watched in great suspense that day and night. But no Indians came. We learned later that it was a ruse of cattle thieves to frighten settlers away that they might steal things left by the fleeing settlers. The thieves were caught and hanged by a vigilance committee. One month after the Indian scare came the scourge of grasshoppers. There had been no rain all summer; everything was burning up from the heat. Toward noon, August seventh, my husband came in saying, 'Have you noticed that dark cloud in the north? I think we will get rain.' About two o'clock in the afternoon the cloud reached us. It proved to be myriads of grasshoppers. They settled down on the fields of corn and soon every green thing had been eaten. Only bare stalks remained. The grasshoppers remained but a few days and then departed for fresh fields, leaving desolation and ruin behind them. Then came a year of drought, and a year in which hot winds ruined our crops. We had about decided to leave Kansas and return to Michigan when there came fruitful years. We prospered and in time built us a pleasant home. In September, 1909, we rented the farm to our son Clifford, and built us a home in South Haven, where we now reside."

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson are members of the Baptist church.

CHILDREN.

Nina Capitola, b. Aug. 16, 1872. d. Aug. 27, 1873.

Flora Bella, b. Jan. 12, 1874.

Rosa May, b. Mar. 28, 1876.

Breyman Carl, b. Feb. 17, 1878.

Oliver Winfield, b. Nov. 1, 1879.

Claude Earl, b. Jan. 18, 1881.

Clarence Eugene, b. Nov. 15, 1882, d. July 5, 1883.

Nellie Grace, b. Aug. 15, 1885.

Clifford Arthur, b. Dec. 24, 1886.

Beulah Marie, b. Dec. 12, 1883.

Edith Hazel, b. Mar. 2, 1892.

FLORA B. ROBINSON ECKERT

Flora Bella⁵ (daughter Olive Robinson⁴, daughter Jane³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born January 12, 1874, in Lacota, Mich. Her childhood was spent amid the trying times of Indian raids, drought and grasshoppers in Kansas. She secured a good common school education. On June 5, 1892, she married John Wm. Eckert. They purchased a farm at Blackwell, Okla., where they made their home. Six children were born to them. Mr. Eckert died of typhoid fever September 28, 1908. Mrs. Eckert finding it difficult to manage a farm and care for five little children, married Elbert E. Ebright, October 21, 1909. Her oldest son and oldest daughter are attending the high school at Blackwell. Mrs. Ebright is a member of the M. E. church.

CHILDREN.

Children by Eckert.

Glenn Earl, b. July 28, 1894.

Effie May, b. Aug. 26, 1897.

John Floyd, b. Feb. 4, 1899.

Charles Lloyd, b. Feb. 4, 1899.

Williard, b. July 9, 1905.

Viola Grace, b. Mar. 24, 1907, d. April 17, 1907.

Children by Ebright.

Irvin Allen, b. Sept. 26, 1910.

Alvin Roy, b. Jan. 24, 1912.

ROSA M. ROBINSON STIGER

Rosa May⁵, daughter of Olive and Charles W. Robinson, was born March 28, 1876. She grew to womanhood on the farm near South Haven, Kan. On November 6, 1898 she was married to Wm. F. Stiger, a farmer. They soon secured a farm at Nobe, New Mexico, where they now reside. Mr. and Mrs. Stiger are members of the Baptist church.

CHILDREN.

Merle Russel, b. Aug. 8, 1899.
Clarence Eugene, b. July 13, 1901.
Lynn W., b. Nov. 26, 1903.
Kenneth, b. Oct. 4, 1908.
Doris, b. July 30, 1912.

BREYMAN CARL ROBINSON

Breyman Carl⁵ (son Olive⁴, daughter Jane³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born near South Haven, Kan., February 17, 1878, and grew to manhood amid the great corn and wheat fields of that state. He was married December 4, 1902 to Miss Frances Stanicek. They went to Geddes, S. Dak., where they purchased the farm they still reside on.

CHILDREN.

Verne E., b. Sept. 8, 1903.
Breyman A., b. July 26, 1905.
Charles W., b. Nov. 18, 1906.
Edith Olive, b. Sept. 30, 1908.
Louise, b. —.

OLIVER WINFIELD ROBINSON

Oliver Winfield⁵, son of Olive and Charles W. Robinson, began his earthly career November 1, 1879, on his father's great farm near South Haven, Kansas. He secured his education in the common school at South Haven. He was married to Miss Julia Stiger, June 14, 1900. They purchased, in a short time, a farm at Nobe, New Mexico, where they resided until 1912, when they exchanged the farm for property in South Haven, Kansas, where they now reside.

CHILD.

Ferrel Otis, b. Feb. 18, 1903.

CLAUDE EARL ROBINSON

Claude Earl Robinson was born Jan. 18, 1881, near South Haven, Kan. He grew to manhood on his father's farm and gained an education in the district school. In 1899 he went to Stanley County, S. Dak. In 1900 he took up a claim there which he now owns. He is unmarried and lives in Armour, S. Dak.

NELLIE G. ROBINSON BLURTON

Nellie Grace Robinson⁵ was born August 15, 1885. She attended school in South Haven. In her girlhood she united with the Baptist church. On November 11, 1906, she was wedded to Jesse Wm. Blurton, a farmer by occupation. Their home was at Sedgwick, Kan., until 1912, when they moved to Emmet, Idaho.

CHILDREN.

Gettus Orville, b. Sept. 10, 1907.

Gladys Gwendolyn, b. Dec. 2, 1908.

Jesse Robinson, b. Feb. 12, 1911.

Vorhis Jackson, b. April 10, 1912.

CLIFFORD ARTHUR ROBINSON

Clifford Arthur⁵, youngest son of Olive and Charles W. Robinson, was born December 24, 1886. On his father's farm he learned farming and in the nearby schools secured his education. He married Miss Effie May Hamblet, June 2, 1909. They have had charge of his father's farm since October, 1909. Mr. Robinson is a member of the Baptist church.

CHILDREN.

Clinton Maurice, b. Aug. 17, 1911.

Gilbert Arthur, b. Sept. 3, 1913.

BEULAH M. ROBINSON COTTEL

Beulah Marie Robinson⁵ was born December 12, 1888. Her youthful days were happily spent in attending school and in learning the art of housekeeping under her mother's instruction. She united with the Baptist church when a girl. She was married to Roy Cattel, February 24, 1909. Her husband is a farmer and their home is six miles northwest of South Haven.

CHILDREN.

Lillian Thelma, b. Sept. 15, 1910.

Eunice May, b. Jan. 1, 1912.

Gladys Lois, b. June 26, 1913.

EDITH H. ROBINSON MCBRIDE

Edith Hazel, youngest child of Olive and Charles W. Robinson, was born on March 2, 1892, near South Haven, Kan. Her childhood days passed quietly and happily on the farm. On November 2, 1910, she became the bride of Thomas F. McBride. Mrs. McBride is a member of the Baptist church. They lived on a farm seven miles from South Haven, Kan., until February, 1913, when they went to Tulsa, Okla., where Mr. McBride has taken up his former occupation as baker.

CHILD.

Mildred Hazel, b. August 2, 1912.

OLIVER WILLIS HODGMAN

Oliver Willis⁴ (son Jane³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born October 24, 1853 in Parma, Ohio. His childhood was spent in Parma and Middleburgh, Ohio. When he was 11 years old the family removed to the lumber camp in the pine woods near Bloomingdale, Mich. His father was employed here until 1867, when he took up a homestead claim in Lee, Allegan County, Mich. Will took an active part in

clearing the heavy timber from this farm and changing the forest to tillable fields. He shared with the family in the hardships which resulted from sickness and toil. At one time they were hemmed in for three days by forest fires, seemingly with little hope of escape. Will was a successful keeper of bees and contributed much to the comfort of the family by the work of his numerous colonies of bees.

He was married December 12, 1879, to Esther L. Bailey, who was born November 27, 1851. He purchased a farm near his father's home and has since been engaged in farming there. His wife died October 8, 1896, after a long illness from consumption. He was left with the care of four little children. Mr. Hodgman united with the Christian church in 1907. He is an officer in the church and a leader in the prayer meeting and in Sunday School work. He is an active temperance worker.

CHILDREN.

Olive Julia, b. Sept. 16, 1881, d. Mar. 31, 1884.

Robert Oliver, b. Aug. 23, 1883.

Arthur Neil, b. May 23, 1885.

Florence, b. Aug. 21, 1888.

Percy Bailey, b. Oct. 5, 1893.

ROBERT OLIVER HODGMAN

Robert Oliver⁵ (son O. Will⁴, son Jane³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born August 23, 1883 in Lee Township, near Lacota, Mich. He attended school near his home and assisted his father with the farm work until 1904. He then secured a position as nurse or attendant in charge of a ward in the Northern Michigan Asylum, Traverse City, Mich. He retained this position till October, 1910. During his last year at the hospital he prepared himself to pass the examination required by law in order to become an under-

taker. In November, 1910, he went to Lincoln, Neb., where he is now engaged in the undertaking business. Robert united with the church when 16 years of age. He is respected and loved by all who know him. He is unmarried.

ARTHUR NEIL HODGMAN

Arthur Neil⁵, son of O. Will Hodgman, was born May 23, 1885, in Lee Township, Allegan County, Mich. His mother died when he was 11 years old. His father, brother Robert and himself kept house together. Neil was the housekeeper and also assisted on the farm. He was married in April, 1909 to Miss Lillie Johnson. She was the daughter of Sylvester and Susan Johnson and was born in Lee, Mich., July 4, 1888. They are now living on a farm in Lee, Mich.

CHILD.

Harold E., b. June 1, 1910.

FLORENCE HODGMAN THOMAS

Florence Hodgman⁵, daughter of Will and Esther Hodgman, was born in Lee, Mich., August 21, 1888. She was eight years old when her mother died. She was taken into the home of her Grandmother Hodgman, and cared for by her Aunt Jennie. She knew no other home except for one year before her marriage, when she resided with her father. She attended school, passing through the twelve grades. She united with the Christian church in her 18th year.

She was married June 18, 1908, to Lewis O. Thomas, who was born February 14, 1884. He was the son of Reuben and Louise Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis O. Thomas have purchased a farm near Lacota, Mich., where they are planning to make their home.

CHILD.

Marguerite I., b. May 26, 1909.

Esther, b. Oct. 27, 1912.

PERCY BAILEY HODGMAN

Percy Bailey⁵ is the youngest child of Will Hodgman. He was born October 5, 1893. During the sickness of his mother he was taken to the home of his "Aunt Nell Bordine," who lovingly and tenderly cared for him until 1908, when her illness compelled her to give up her loved and loving boy, and he returned to the home of his father, where he resided till 1912. He is now a clerk in a clothing establishment in Lincoln, Neb.

WINFIELD SCOTT HODGMAN

Winfield Scott⁴, second son of Jane and Oliver Hodgman, began his brief earthly life in Parma, Ohio, on February 16, 1856. When he was eight and one-half years old his parents moved to Michigan. Winfield was an active, resolute, industrious youth and young man. He shrank from no toil or hardship which would add to the comfort of his family.

His sister Jennie writes: "He was of a happy, sunny disposition. He united with the Evangelical church near our home and was an earnest, faithful Christian boy." The year 1877 he spent in Clover, Henry County, Ill., working on the farm of his uncle, R. F. Beals. From there he went to South Haven, Kansas, to visit his sister, Mrs. Olive Robinson, who writes this: "Winfield visited me in the winter of 1878. He was a good Christian boy and made many friends while here. The Bible was his daily companion. He never failed to read it daily. He was taken sick while here and returned home in March."

His sickness proved to be hip disease, and for nine months he suffered such agony as cannot be described. His sister, Ellen, was his devoted nurse and comforter during these terrible months. The following stanza is the first one in his favorite song that his sisters sang to him daily:

"When my final farewell to the world I have said,
And gladly lie down to my rest;
When softly the watchers shall say. 'He is dead,'
And fold my pale hands on my breast;
And when with my glorified vision at last
The walls of 'That City' I see,
Will any one at the beautiful gate,
Be waiting and watching for me?"

No word of murmuring passed his lips during all those months of excruciating suffering. On December 3, 1878, the gates of "The City" opened to him and he entered in where there is no more pain.

JENNIE E. HODGMAN MARTIN

Jennie Eliza⁴ (daughter Jane³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born August 22, 1860 in Parma, Ohio. The family moved to Michigan in 1864 and in 1867 to Lee Township near Lacota, where much of her life since then has been spent. She shared with her family in the hardships of their pioneer life. Their hardships were greatly increased by the destruction caused by forest fires, and by the ague and malaria arising from the great swamps near them.

In 1880, Jennie visited her aunt, Mrs. Hat E. Stevens, at Adamsville, Cass County, Mich. Here she met Eugene F. Martin to whom she was married March 20, 1881 at her home in Lee, Mich. They went to Muskegon, Mich., where Mr. Martin secured a position as superintendent in one of the large lumber mills there. He was also elected superintendent of the Sunday School there.

On the morning of August 11, 1882, he went to the mill to give some orders connected with the work there and was then to join his Sunday School at the church and accompany

them on the picnic to be held that day. He was caught between two cars loaded with lumber and instantly crushed to death.

Mrs. Martin soon returned to her mother's home. A baby girl was born to her, but in a few months the Good Shepherd called the little one to His bosom. Mrs. Martin is an earnest consecrated member of the M. E. church. For several years she was active in church and Sunday School work, but for a number of years now her mother has been a helpless invalid and it has taken all of Mrs. Martin's time and strength to nurse the invalid. She is still caring for her with unwearied love and patience.

CHILD.

Eugenia M., b. April 10, 1883, d. Feb. 11, 1884.

ASA BURTON HODGMAN

Asa Burton⁴ was the youngest of the children of Jane and Oliver Hodgman. He was born November, 1867, in Lee, Allegan County, Mich. Soon after the family moved to their home in the woods. He grew to be an industrious, energetic young man, and upon his young shoulders fell the care of the farm and the maintaining the home of his widowed mother. Hard work resulted in heart trouble and for the past few years he has had to give up farm work. He still resides on the farm but is engaged in commission business and in a meat market. Since boyhood he has had trouble with his heart. He is unmarried.

WILLIAM GOULD BEELS

William G. Beels³ (son of Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Parma Township near Cleveland, Ohio, May 4, 1830. He attended school three months in the year in a log school house with its primitive furniture, and during the rest of the year assisted his father and brothers in clearing

a farm out of the dense forest. At an early age he left home to make his own way in the world. This ended his school days. His education after that was picked up as he passed through the varied scenes of an active life.

In May, 1848, he went via the Great Lakes from Cleveland to Sheboygan, Wis. Here he worked in the lumber business for Humphrey, Strong and Fisher. Three years later he returned home to work the farm for his father. In the fall of the same year, 1851, he went to Rising Sun, Ind., where he hired out on a flat boat going to New Orleans. In the following spring he located in Dillsborough, Ind., where he engaged in coopering for several years. He was married June 8, 1854, to Cynthia Ann Hull, who was born February 26, 1853, in Hamilton County, Ohio, and came with her parents to Ripley County, Ind. She died January 15, 1859, leaving an infant daughter, Cora Ann Beels.

After the death of his wife, Mr. Beels traveled about the country for some time with a picture car taking daguerreotype pictures which were then very fashionable. On March 10, 1861, he married Sarah Frances Hull, a younger sister of his first wife. She was born October 12, 1836.

In 1862, on the call for 90 day troops, he recruited a company of men from Ripley County for the 83rd Indiana regiment Volunteers, and was appointed captain. The company spent some time in camp near Lawrenceburg and at Memphis.

Returning to his home he engaged in farming until 1865. At the request of friends he was appointed recruiting officer in and for the Fourth Congressional District. He recruited a company which was mustered into the service at Indianapolis on April 10, 1865. He was commissioned captain of the company which was assigned to the 156th Regiment Indiana Volunteers, and was known as company C. He was appointed chap-

lain in the camp of 10,000 troops. His regiment was soon ordered to Washington, and then to Alexandria, Va. It reached the latter place on the day memorial services were being held for President Lincoln.

From Alexandria they marched to Cumberland, Md., and from there to Stevenson Station, Va. On July 4, 1865, while the regiment was on dress parade he suffered a sunstroke. He was sent to the field hospital where he remained till his company was mustered out August 4, 1865. The company returned to Indianapolis where it disbanded on August 12, 1865. Mr. Beels returned to his farm. He never fully recovered from the effects of the sunstroke but suffered intensely at times from it as long as he lived.

In October, 1866, he moved to Hazelton, Buchanan County, Iowa, where he purchased two hundred acres of land on which he made extensive improvements. He secured the location of the town site of Hazelton by contributing twenty acres to the B. C. R. and N. R. R. for a depot. Later he moved to Independence, Iowa, where he engaged in the sale of sewing machines. During the financial panic which followed the great Chicago fire he lost all his property valued at \$12,000. Thus being compelled to begin anew, he decided to move further west and chose Norfolk, Neb., as his future home, and went there in July, 1874 with two teams of horses and \$125 in money. His family suffered the hardships incident to pioneer life. For a few years grasshoppers destroyed the greater part of their crops. But eventually prosperity came and his later years were filled with comfort.

During the winter of 1856-57 a revival meeting was held in Edwardsburg, Ind., where Mr. Beels was working as a cooper. He was converted and joined the M. E. church. In October, 1857, he was licensed as an exhorter, and later was appointed junior preacher on Midland Charge, N. E. Ind. Con-

ference. In Iowa he was licensed as local preacher at Otterville and was junior preacher on that charge for two years. In Norfolk, Neb., he organized the first M. E. class. He was appointed a preacher on the Norfolk circuit which included several churches. His salary on this circuit was \$68 per year.

In 1875 he established the "Elkhorn Valley Hotel" (temperance) in Norfolk. He had charge of this hotel until 1878, when he removed to a 360-acre farm two miles from Norfolk and engaged in farming and stock raising until 1887. In the fall of 1887 he went with his family to Mt. Vernon, Iowa, in order that his younger children might attend college there. He remained at Mt. Vernon five years and then returned to the farm near Norfolk. He retired from active life in 1898 and moved into Norfolk, where he resided until his death, which occurred February 12, 1908. His wife, Sarah Frances, died August 22, 1906, and he then made his home with his son, Edward. Mr. Beels became a member of the Masonic fraternity in 1852. He joined the I. O. O. F. in 1854.

CHILDREN.

Roderick A., b. Sept. 13, 1854, d. Sept. 14, 1854.

Cora Ann, b. Sept. 14, 1857.

By 2nd wife.

Edward Ellsworth, b. Sept. 24, 1865.

A twin brother died the day of birth.

Clara May, b. Dec. 16, 1867.

Frank Hull, b. Aug. 31, 1872.

CORA ANN BEELS

Cora Ann⁴ (daughter William³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born near Dillsborough, Ripley County, Ind., September 14, 1857. When she was nine years old her parents moved to Hazelton, Buchanan County, Iowa. Here she attended district school for three years. Her parents then went

to Independence, Iowa, where she completed the high school course. In the summer of 1874, her father with his family moved to Norfolk, Neb. She taught school there for one year. In the fall of 1875 she entered Cornell college, at Mt. Vernon, Iowa. By teaching at intervals she worked her way through college, graduating in 1885 in the scientific, philosophical and musical courses.

Shortly after graduating she was married to Cecil Gray, who was drowned a few months later while crossing a river. From 1885 to 1889 she had charge of the musical department of the Grant Memorial University, Athens, Tenn. On June 25, 1889, she married George N. Beels. They went to Norfolk, Neb., where they have since resided. She has always been active in church and club work. As a member of the Rebekah Branch of the I. O. O. F., she has held all the state offices. She has been actively engaged in teaching music all these years. Since 1896 she has been a member of the Interstate Faculty of the Western Conservatory of Music of Chicago, Ill. She has no children.

EDWARD ELLSWORTH BEELS

Edward Ellsworth⁴ (son William³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Ripley County, Ind., September 23, 1865. While he was a young child his parents moved to Hazelton, Iowa. Here he attended the district school. He attended the city schools at Norfolk, Neb., after the removal of his father to that place in 1874. The years from 1887 to 1890 were spent at Cornell college at Mt. Vernon, Iowa. He returned to Norfolk, and for a time engaged in farming. For six years he served as a rural mail carrier. On April 28, 1906, he was married to Mrs. Laura Saterlee Hahn, who was born in Lake City, Iowa, May 22, 1870. In May, 1910, Mr. Beels

took up a homestead in the western part of S. Dakota. He lost all he had through drought. His wife was taken sick and died September 18, 1910 at the home of her father in Herrick, S. Dak. Mr. Beels soon returned to Norfolk, Neb., where he now resides with his sister, Mrs. Cora A. Beels.

CHILDREN.

Roy Edward, b. —.

Howard Ellsworth, b. —, d. Aug. 15, 1909.

CLARA MAY BEELS HAZEN

Clara May⁴ (daughter William³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) had her birth December 16, 1867, in Hazelton, Buchanan County, Iowa. Her girlhood was spent in Independence, Iowa, and Norfolk, Neb., and she attended the public schools in those places. She completed her education in Cornell college, Iowa, graduating from the Cornell Musical Conservatory in 1889.

She taught music in Epworth Seminary, Epworth, Iowa, during the years 1889 and 1890. On June 20, 1893, she was married to Miner Colfax Hazen, who was born in Rockland, Ill., January 26, 1869. Mr. Hazen is a successful lawyer and their home is in Norfolk, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. Hazen are active members in the M. E. church.

Mrs. Hazen says, "I lead a very busy life as any woman who is the mother of three wide-awake boys and as many lively girls must perforce do. Mr. Hazen is a busy lawyer. We both believe that the busy, active lives are the happiest ones if our work is along the lines God lays out for us, and so we are content."

CHILDREN.

Lucile, b. May 24, 1894.

Winifred, b. Dec. 16, 1897.

Oliver, b. July 27, 1900.

Homer Harold, b. Feb. 16, 1902.

Stanley Sydney, b. June 20, 1903.

Margaret, b. May 13, 1904.

FRANK HULL BEELS

Frank Hull⁴ (son William³, son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Independence, Iowa, August 31, 1872. He graduated from the high school at Mt. Vernon, Iowa in 1891, and then attended Cornell college, reaching the spring term in sophomore year in civil engineering course.

He was married on March 17, 1897, to Miss E. Ora Sturgeon. She was born in Altona, Iowa, February 10, 1876. From the fall of 1897 to the spring of 1904 he was engaged as a piano salesman. He volunteered in April 1898 with Co. L 2nd Regiment Nebraska National Guards for service in the Spanish-American War. He entered the service with rank of first lieutenant but in May was promoted to captain. His regiment served on camp duty at Camp Geo. H. Thomas at Chickamauga Park, Georgia, until discharged October 24, 1898. In 1904 Mr. Beels took a post-graduate course in piano tuning and has since been engaged in that profession.

His home is at Norfolk where most of his life has been spent. His wife died March 9, 1903, after an illness of many months. In 1910 Mr. Beels married again, but the marriage proved to be an unhappy one and he soon secured a divorce.

CHILD.

Frances Helen, b. Jan. 30, 1900.

REUBEN FRANKLIN BEALS

Reuben Franklin³ (son Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) son of Jane and Abner Beels was born at Parma, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, August 12, 1832. In his boyhood he was called Reuben, or more commonly "Reub." This name did not please him and when he went to Illinois to live he gave his name as R. Frank Beels, and by that name he has since been known. He and his sister, Harriet E., early adopted the spelling "Beals"



REUBEN FRANKLIN BEALS

as the name is spelled by relatives in New York, instead of the spelling "Beels" as retained by other members of the family.

Mr. Beals received his education in the district school. He worked on the farm with his father until he was 20 years old, when he learned the trade of carpenter. In the fall of 1855 he went west, reaching Oneida, Knox County, Ill., on November 2. He remained there working at his trade until April, 1856, when he purchased a farm in Clover Township, Henry County, about five miles from Oneida. On June 4, 1857, he was married to Miss Adda H. McClellan, daughter of Thomas and Lida McClellan. She was born in Ohio, April 10, 1836, and came with her parents to Illinois in 1854. His wife died May 3, 1859. He worked on his farm, and as opportunity offered at his trade, until August 8, 1862, when he enlisted in Co. I 102nd Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and was sent to Kentucky. His regiment was assigned to Gen. Ward's brigade and was in the reserve corps doing guard duty until February, 1864. His regiment was then assigned to the 12th corps which was afterward consolidated with the 14th corps, forming the 20th corps, Army of the Cumberland and under command of Gen. Joseph Hooker. The 20th corps was with Gen. Sherman in the Atlantic campaign, and Mr. Beals was in all the battles in which the corps was engaged, including the battles of Resaca, New Hope Church, Burnt Hickory, Peach Tree Creek and the siege of Atlanta. He was slightly wounded June 4, 1864, while on the skirmish line.

During Sherman's famous march to the sea, Mr. Beals' company acted as foragers for their brigade. He was with Sherman in his campaign through the Carolinas, and took part in the Avresboro, N. C. He took part in all the marches, skirmishes and battles his company was ever engaged in.

Mr. Beals ranked as orderly, but on account of sickness and absence of his superior officers he was in command of his

company throughout the Atlanta campaign, the march through Georgia, and the campaign in the Carolinas. He was in the grand review of the army at Washington at the close of the war. He was honorably discharged from the army in June, 1865, and returned to his farm in Clover, Ill. Here he engaged in farming and stock raising. On December 24, 1865, he married Miss Amanda M. Hayden, daughter of Alfred R. and Minerva Hayden.

In 1884 he was elected a member of the board of supervisors of Henry County and was re-elected for five terms. In 1890 he was elected a member of the House of Representatives of the Illinois Legislature and served so acceptably that he was re-elected in 1892.

He moved from the farm to the town of Galva on January 1, 1893, and has resided there since. In 1894 he was elected mayor of Galva on a no-license ticket and discharged his duties with such ability that he was re-elected in 1896 and again in 1898.

He has been a director in the Henry County Insurance Company for 25 years. In 1896 he helped organize the Galva State bank, of which he is a director and vice-president. He also assisted in organizing the Galva Telephone Company, of which he is president.

In politics he is a Republican and has been ever since the organization of the Republican party in 1856. He joined the I. O. O. F. in 1857 and the Free Masons in 1863.

When the G. A. R. was organized he became a member of that organization.

In his early manhood he united with the church. He and his wife are active members of the Congregational church in Galva. And now at the age of 80 years he is actively engaged in the affairs of life. He has no children.



HARRIET E. STEVENS

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Harriet Elizabeth³ (daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the youngest child of Jane and Abner Beels. She was born in Parma, Ohio, August 2, 1843. She was the youngest in the home nest by several years, so that the others had flown while she was still a child.

Her girlhood was spent quietly and happily with her parents. She attended the home school and entered into the social life of their pleasant community. She attended Baldwin University, Berea, Ohio, for a time. She spent one year with relatives near Avoca, N. Y., and adopted their spelling of the family name, "Beals" instead of "Beels." The burning of her father's house in 1864 made it necessary for them to leave the old homestead. They spent a year with her sister, Mrs. Julia A. Hodgman, in Parma, and in 1865 moved to Mason Township, near Adamsville, Cass County, Mich.

She taught school here for two years. She and her parents spent the summer of 1867 with her sister in Parma, and there she was married October 3, 1867, to George I. Stevens of Mason, Mich. Mr. Stevens took his bride to his farm near Adamsville, Mich., where they resided until 1885. Mrs. Stevens' parents came in a few years to live with her. She cared for them during the closing years of their lives and both went from her home to the heavenly one.

In the fall of 1885, Mr. and Mrs. Stevens moved to Three Oaks, Mich., where for a time Mr. Stevens was engaged in the manufacture of creamery butter. He now has an elevator at Three Oaks and is engaged in buying and selling grain.

During her residence in Mason, Mrs. Stevens was a member of the Free Will Baptist church and was most active in all departments of Christian service. On going to Three Oaks she and her husband united with the Congregational church. They entered zealously into the work of the church and con-

tinued their work until compelled by the infirmities of their later years to give up some of their activities. Mrs. Stevens is an intelligent, earnest, consecrated Christian woman.

CHILDREN.

Gertrude May, b. Feb. 12, 1870.

Alice Jane, b. Sept. 28, 1872, d. May 18, 1877.

GERTRUDE M. STEVENS MCGAWN

Gertrude May⁴ (daughter Harriet³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Mason Township, Cass County, Mich., February 12, 1870. She attended district school there. On November 18, 1885, her parents moved to Three Oaks, Mich., where she attended high school. On October 3, 1889, she was united in marriage with Morris G. McGawn, who was born in Illinois, December 12, 1869. They have resided ever since in Three Oaks. Mr. McGawn is secretary of the Warren Feather Bone Company. Both Mr. and Mrs. McGawn are members of the Congregational church and are actively engaged in the work of the church. Mrs. McGawn is a member of "Daughters of American Revolution" and is prominent in society work.

CHILDREN.

Ethel Ellen, b. Nov. 24, 1890.

Alice Gertrude, b. Nov. 13, 1897.

ETHEL E. MCGAWN BUCHANAN

Ethel Ellen⁵ (daughter Gertrude McGawn⁴, daughter Harriet³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born in Three Oaks, Mich., November 24, 1890. There she attended school until her graduation from the high school in June, 1907. For one year she was a student in a ladies' seminary in St. Louis, Mo. She then spent two years in Oberlin



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AND DAUGHTERS
ETHEL E. AND ALICE

college, Oberlin, Ohio. Ill health compelled her to give up study for a few months. In January, 1911, she entered the State Normal School at Cheney, Wash. Here she met Mr. Lenoir Buchanan, a professor in the normal school. This acquaintance terminated in a wedding on January 1, 1912 at Three Oaks, Mich. A few days later Prof. Buchanan returned with his bride to Cheney, Wash., where they resided until August, 1913, when Prof. Buchanan received an appointment as a teacher in the government school at Sitka, Alaska, and he and his wife at once went to Alaska to enter upon his work there.

ALICE GERTRUDE MCGAWN

Alice Gertrude⁵ (daughter Gertrude⁴, daughter Harriet³, daughter Jane², daughter John Shepherd¹) the younger daughter of Gertrude and Morris McGawn, began her earthly career November 13, 1897 in Three Oaks, Mich. She has nearly finished her studies in the high school at Three Oaks. She is a member of the Congregational church and is a winsome, lovable girl.

Family of James Shepherd

JAMES SHEPHERD

James Shepherd², son of John Shepherd¹, was the youngest son in the Shepherd family. He was born August 10, 1798, at Laurel Sock, Pa. When he was seven years old the family moved to Canandaigua, N. Y., where he resided until he had grown to manhood. Perhaps it was in 1818 that he and his brothers, Christopher and William, visited their father and their sister, Mrs. Margaret Engle, in their new home, to which they had gone two years before, in Royalton, Ohio. They did not like the country there and a few weeks later journeyed southward and westward. His daughter says that he walked from Cleveland to southern Indiana in 1819. He purchased a farm in Dearborn County, Ind. near Aurora.

He was married March 8, 1821 to Miss Jane Rickett, who was born August 5, 1798, in Kentucky, and moved to Indiana in 1803. For nearly forty years they lived and toiled together, but of those years we have no record. Mr. Shepherd died suddenly June 6, 1860. Mrs. Shepherd died February 25, 1871.

CHILDREN.

Anna, b. June 10, 1823, d. Aug. 25, 1878.

Ursula, b. Sept. 14, 1825, d. May 24, 1892.

Jane, b. June 17, 1823, d. —.

ANNA SHEPHERD GIBBENS

Anna³ (daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) was born June 10, 1823, in Dearborn County, Ind. She was married on March 2, 1843 to James Gibbens. He was a soldier in the Union Army in the Civil War and was killed in battle. Mrs. Gibbens died August 25, 1878.



JAMES SHEPHERD

CHILDREN.

Jane, b. Dec. 22, 1843.

James S., b. Oct. 1, 1845, d. Nov. 12, 1849.

George T., b. Jan. 4, 1847, d. Nov. 15, 1849.

Ursula A., b. June 29, 1849.

Sarepta, b. Oct. 4, 1851.

Nancy, b. Mar. 27, 1854, d. Nov. 19, 1861.

Shepherd Taylor, b. Nov. 24, 1856.

Everett C., b. Nov. 20, 1858.

Jane Gibbens, the oldest daughter, and Everett C. Gibbens, the youngest son, never married. They reside on the farm formerly owned by James Shepherd.

URSULA GIBBENS NELSON

Ursula⁴ (daughter Anna³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) was born June 29, 1849 near Aurora, Ind. She married William Nelson, December 19, 1867. Seven children were born to them, three girls and four boys. Two of the children are dead. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are dead. One son, Dr. William Nelson, is living in St. Louis, Mo.

SAREPTA GIBBENS GRAVES

Sarepta Gibbens⁴ (daughter Anna³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) was the fifth child of Anna Shepherd and James Gibbens. She was born October 4, 1851 in Dearborn County, Ind. She became the wife of George Graves. They had four children, two of whom are still living. The home of the family was at Madison, Ind.

SHEPHERD T. GIBBENS

Shepherd Taylor⁴ (son Anna³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) was born November 24, 1856 near Aurora, Ind. He was united in marriage with Miss Susan E. Smith on

August 17, 1879. He is a farmer by occupation. Mr. Gibbens is a member of the M. E. church. His postoffice address is Aurora, Ind.

CHILD.

Vivian May, b. Aug. 29, 1880.

VIVIAN MAY GIBBENS

Vivian May, or May as she is known among her friends, is the only child of Shepherd T. and Susan E. Gibbens. She is an intelligent, attractive young lady. To her courtesy we are indebted for much of the record of James Shepherd.

URSULA SHEPHERD BOVARD

Ursula Shepherd³ (daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) the seiond daughter of James and Jane R. Shepherd, was born September 14, 1825, in Dearborn County, Ind. On May 26, 1844, she became the bride of Isaac C. Bovard, a farmer, who was born October 31, 1817 in Hamilton County, Ohio. Their home was in Dearborn County, Ind. Mrs. Bovard was a member of the M. E. church. She died May 24, 1892. Mr. Bovard died June 27, 1872.

CHILDREN.

Olive, b. ——.
Elwood, b. ——.
Coleman, b. ——.
Julia Lorain, b. ——.
Viola, b. ——.

OLIVE BOVARD BASCOM

Olive⁴ (daughter Ursula Shepherd³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the oldest child of Ursula and Isaac Bovard. She was married to Robert Bruce Bascom, November 4, 1866. He was a soldier in the Union Army during the Civil War.

He died March 10, 1907. Mr. and Mrs. Bascom were members of the M. E. church.

CHILDREN.

Williard Theodore, b. Jan. 4, 1868.

Alice Luella, b. Mar. 3, 1869.

Catherine, b. Aug. 20, 1871, died in infancy.

Jessie Florence, b. Mar. 7, 1873, d. Oct. 19, 1904.

Josephine, b. Feb. 29, 1876.

Grace Gertrude, b. Mar. 6, 1880.

Lottie, b. Mar. 1, 1883.

Martha, b. July 18, 1888.

Mary, b. July 18, 1888.

WILLIARD THEODORE BASCOM

Willard T.⁵ (son Olive⁴, daughter Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) the first child of Olive and Robert B. Bascom, was born at Rising Sun, Ind., Jan. 4, 1868. He married Miss Susie Sanders in May, 1891. He is a farmer, and resides in Aurora, Ind.

CHILDREN.

A girl, b. —, d. —.

Dewy, b. —.

George, b. —.

ALICE BASCOM VAN OSDOL

Alice Luella⁵ (daughter Olive⁴, daughter Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) oldest daughter of Olive and Robert B. Bascom, was born March 3, 1869, at Rising Sun, Ind. On October 5, 1891, she became the wife of B. F. Van Osdol. Both Mr. and Mrs. Van Osdol are members of the M. E. church. He is a farmer. They reside at Bascom, Ind.

CHILDREN.

Estelle, b. —.

Dilver, b. —.

Elizabeth, b. —.

Estelle Van Osdol was married to Charles Gibbons, February 15, 1913.

JESSIE FLORENCE BASCOM

Jessie Florence⁵, the fourth of the children of Olive and Robert B. Bascom, was born March 9, 1873, and died October 19, 1904. She was a member of the M. E. church. One who knew her well pays this beautiful tribute to her memory: "She gave her life to the service of the Lord."

JOSEPHINE BASCOM TYLER

Josephine⁵ (daughter Olive⁴, daughter Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) was born February 29, 1876, in Rising Sun, Ind. She was united in marriage with Willard Tyler in November, 1898. They are members of the M. E. church. Mr. Tyler is a blacksmith. They reside at Aberdeen, Indiana.

CHILDREN.

Donald, b. ——.
Hubert, b. ——.
Jessie, b. ——.
Wilfred, b. ——.
Hilda, b. ——.

GRACE GERTRUDE BASCOM CONNOR

Grace Gertrude⁵ (daughter Olive⁴, daughter Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the fifth daughter of Olive and Robert B. Bascom. She joined the family circle March 6, 1880, at Rising Sun, Ind., and shared their joys and sorrows until October 20, 1901, when she became the bride of Albert Connor. He is a blacksmith. Their home is at East Enterprise, Ind.

CHILDREN.

Dorothy, b. ——.
Robert, b. ——.

LOTTIE BASCOM MILLER

Lottie⁵, daughter of Olive and Robert B. Bascom, was born in the home near Rising Sun, Ind., May 1, 1883. She left this happy home nest October 17, 1903, to become the bride of William G. Miller. Mr. Miller is a farmer. Two sons have come to gladden their home at Aurora, Ind.

CHILDREN.

Lloyd, b. —.

Ralph, b. —.

MARTHA BASCOM KITTLE

Martha⁵ (daughter Olive⁴, daughter Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is one of the twin daughters born to Olive and Robert B. Bascom on July 18, 1888. She married Reuben Kittle, a farmer, April 3, 1907. They reside in Pate, Indiana.

CHILDREN.

Mary, b. —.

Marie, b. —.

MARY BASCOM DENNIS

Mary⁵, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Bascom and twin sister to Martha Bascom, was born July 18, 1888 at Rising Sun, Ind. She became the bride of Rev. John Dennis, a young M. E. minister, on July 5, 1906. Their home at present (1913) is Moore Hill, Ind.

CHILDREN.

Naomi, b. —.

Ruth, b. —.

Lewis William, b. —.

ELWOOD BOVARD

Elwood Bovard⁴ (son Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) was born in Dearborn County, Ind. On July 2, 1873, he married Phoebe Rickets. Their address is Sekitau, Hamilton County, Ohio.

CHILDREN.

Bernard, b. ——.
Dale, b. ——.
Leslie, b. ——.
Agnes, b. ——.
Harry, b. ——.
Gertrude, b. ——. Adopted.

BERNARD BOVARD

Bernard⁵ (son Elwood⁴, son Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the oldest son of Elwood and Phoebe Bovard. He married Miss Amelia Webb.

CHILDREN.

Ebert, b. ——.
Velma, b. ——.
Selva, b. ——.

DALE BOVART

Dale Bovard⁵, son of Elwood and Phoebe Bovard, married Miss Lilly Miller. Three children were born to them.

CHILDREN.

Laurence, b. ——.
Harold, b. ——.
Emily, b. ——.

LESLIE BOVARD

Leslie⁵ (son Elwood⁴, son Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) third son of Elwood and Phoebe Bovard, married Effie Lee. They have no children of their own, but have adopted a little girl.

AGNES BOVARD LEE

Agnes⁵, is the only daughter of Elwood and Phoebe Bovard. She married Benjamin Lee. No children have been born to them. They have adopted a son.

HARRY BOVARD

Harry⁵ (son Elwood⁴, son Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the youngest child of Elwood and Phoebe Bovard. He married Miss Martha Shafer. They have no children.

COLEMAN BOVARD

Coleman⁴ (son Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) second son of Ursula Shepherd and Isaac C. Bovard, married Sarah Elizabeth Manford, January 15, 1878. He is a farmer. His address is Rising Sun, Ind.

CHILDREN.

Nettie, b. Nov. 27, 1880.

Isaac Leroy, b. May 24, 1884.

Cora Lenora, b. Dec. 12, 1887.

Raymond, b. Nov. 5, 1889.

Bessie, b. Dec. 9, 1891.

Warren Manford, b. Nov. 14, 1894.

Vesta Leona, b. July 24, 1898.

Coleman Morton, b. Dec. 17, 1904.

NETTIE BOVARD DORREL

Nettie Bovard⁵, oldest child of Coleman and Sarah E. Bovard, was born at Rising Sun, Ind., November 27, 1880. She married Wayne Dorrell, a farmer.

CHILDREN.

Agatha, b. —.

Dennis, b. —.

ISAAC LEROY BOVARD

Isaac Leroy⁵ (son Coleman⁴, son Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the oldest son of Coleman and Sarah E. Bovard. His birth occurred May 24, 1884, and Rising Sun, Ind. is his birthplace. He married Miss Minnie Dennis.

CHILDREN.

Helen, b. —.

Naomi, b. —.

CORA L. BOVARD DURBIN

Cora Lenora⁵ (daughter Coleman⁴, son Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Bovard, had her birth on December 12, 1887, at Rising Sun, Ind. She married Charles Durbin, a carpenter.

RAYMOND BOVARD

Raymond⁵, the fourth of the children of Coleman and Sarah E. Bovard, was born November 5, 1889, in Rising Sun, Ind. He is married and has two children.

CHILDREN.

Hazel N., b. —.

Kenneth, b. —.

BESSIE BOVARD WOODS

Bessie⁵ (daughter Coleman⁴, son Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the third daughter of Coleman and Sarah E. Bovard. December 9, 1891, is the date of her birth, and Rising Sun her birth place. She married John Woods, a farmer.

CHILD.

Thelma, b. —.

JULIA L. BOVARD McHENRY

Julia Lorain⁴ (daughter Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the second daughter of Ursula and Isaac C. Bovard. She was born near Rising Sun, Ind. Her husband is William P. McHenry and the date of their marriage July 8, 1880. Mr. and Mrs. McHenry are members of the M. E. church. He is a farmer and their home is near Rising Sun, Indiana. R. R. 1.

CHILDREN.

Ida, b. Oct. 23, 1888.

Frank, b. Aug. 22, 1893.

IDA McHENRY KITTLE

Ida⁵ (daughter Julia Lorain⁴, daughter Ursula³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the only daughter of Julia Lorain and William P. McHenry. She was born October 23, 1888. Her girlhood was spent on the farm. Having graduated from the district school and prepared herself to become a home maker, she chose Laurence Kittle, a farmer, for her husband, and they were married November 24, 1910. They have no children.

FRANK McHENRY

Frank, the only son of Julia L. and William P. McHenry, was born August 22, 1893. His education was secured in the district school. He lives with his parents on the farm near Rising Sun, Ind.

VIOLA BOVARD BARKER

Viola⁴ (daughter Ursula Shepherd³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) is the youngest daughter of Ursula Shepherd and Isaac C. Bovard and was born near Rising Sun, Ind. She was married to Harvey Barker on September 10, 1884. They reside at Vevay, Switzerland County, Ind.

CHILDREN.

Cassie, b. —.

Kate, b. —.

Christine, b. —.

Ursula, b. —.

Herbert, b. —.

Rachel, b. —.

Robert, b. —.

Cassie Barker married Lorie Houze. They have two children.

Kate Barker is married to John Bovard. They have one child.

Christine Barker became the wife of John Miles.

JANE SHEPHERD GRISWOLD

Jane³ (daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) third daughter of James and Jane Shepherd, was born in Dearborn County, Ind., on June 17, 1828. She married Elisha T. Griswold, December 12, 1849. He was born October 2, 1830. She was an active, energetic woman. Her husband was a cooper by trade. For several years their home was in Edinburgh, Ind. She was a member of the M. E. church. She died at Edinburgh, October 29, 1905. Mr. Griswold is still (1913) living.

CHILDREN.

George B., b. Oct. 26, 1851.

James S., b. Oct. 14, 1855, d. May, 1906.

Washington, b. July 9, 1858, d. Oct. 30, 1907.

William D., b. Feb. 22, 1862, d. —.

Don Joseph, b. 1865.

George B. Griswold was a blacksmith by trade. He married and had one child, Clarence. Mr. Griswold moved to California and has not been heard from in many years.

JAMES S. GRISWOLD

James S.⁴ (son Jane³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) was the son of Jane³ and Elisha T. Griswold. He was born October 14, 1855. When he had grown to manhood he engaged in the livery stable business at Evansville, Ind. He was married in 1881 to Miss Nancy Bridges. Five children were born to them. They separated and Mr. Griswold married Miss Carrie Ross. Mrs. Nancy Griswold died February 28, 1902. James S. Griswold died May, 1906.

CHILDREN.

By 1st marriage.

William Kenneth, b. Oct. 25, 1882.

Edna, b. Sept. 2, 1884.

Elizabeth, b. May 6, 1887, d. Nov. 2, 1901.

Hazel, b. Feb. 17, 1890.

Belle, b. Nov. 20, 1892.

By 2nd marriage.

Baby, b. —, died in infancy.

Edith, b. —.

Leonard, b. —.

WILLIAM KENNETH GRISWOLD

William Kenneth, oldest child of James S. Griswold, was born October 25, 1882. His letters showed him to be a man of good education, but told nothing of his profession or occupation. In 1910 he resided in Tuscola, Ind. His present residence is unknown. He was unmarried in 1910.

Edna Griswold and Hazel Griswold were married in 1910 or before that date. We did not learn the names of their husbands or places of residence.

WASHINGTON GRISWOLD

Washington¹, third son of Jane and Elisha T. Griswold, was born June 9, 1858 in Dearborn County, Ind. For several years he owned a livery stable in Shelbyville, Ind. He was three times married but had no children. He married his third wife, Laura, May 18, 1905. He died July 30, 1907.

WILLIAM D. GRISWOLD

William D.⁴ (son Jane³, daughter James², son John Shepherd¹) was born February 23, 1862. He was a marble cutter by occupation, and resided at Cambridge, Ind. He married a

Miss Wagoner, of Terre Haute, Ind. We know nothing of his family, and did not learn the date of his death.

DON JOSEPH GRISWOLD

Don J.¹, the youngest child of Jane and Elisha Griswold, was born in 1865. He is a marble cutter by trade. He married in Greensburg, Ind., and had one child by this marriage. He married his second wife in Eaton, Ohio, and has one child by this marriage. He was living in Indianapolis, Ind., in 1910.

REBECCA SHEPHERD BURROUGHS

Rebecca Shepherd², the seventh of the children of John Shepherd¹, was born in Laurel Sock, Pa., in 1803. When she was about two years old her parents removed to Canandaigua, N. Y. Her mother died in 1806, leaving Rebecca and two younger sisters in the care of their sister, Margaret.

Rebecca's home was in Canandaigua until she was about 20 years of age. She and her younger sisters then went to Royalton, Ohio, to rejoin their father, and sister, Mrs. Margaret Engle, who had gone in 1816 to seek a home in the forests a few miles south of Cleveland, Ohio.

She was married at Royalton to Asa Burroughs, who was then a resident of Cleveland. The date of their marriage is unknown, but it was during the winter of 1823-4. Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs made their home in Cleveland. Mrs. Burroughs was a member of the Christian (Disciple) church. In disposition she was cheerful and very tender-hearted. A niece of hers says that she was always looking out for orphan children. This niece tells how she, herself an orphan, was befriended by Aunt Rebecca and a place found for her in a better home. She is said to have been a strict disciplinarian, and a hard worker. In personal appearance she was well built,



REBECCA SHEPHERD BURROUGHS AND GRANDCHILDREN

light complexioned, with blue eyes. She and her husband, who was dark complexioned, are said to have been a fine looking couple at their marriage.

Mr. Burroughs died July 20, 1852, in Cleveland, of cholera after an illness of five hours. After the death of her husband, Mrs. Burroughs spent much of her time with her son, George W. Burroughs, in Lafayette, Ind. While on her way to visit her children in Cleveland, she was taken ill and died at Waterville, Ohio, September 17, 1862. Her remains rest beside those of her husband in Erie Street cemetery, Cleveland.

CHILDREN.

George Washington, b. —.

Angeline, b. —.

Lucy, b. 1829.

Sabrina C., b. Mar. 6, 1831, d. Oct. 6, 1904.

Helen, b. —.

William H., b. —.

Seymour, b. —.

Mary, b. —.

Sarah, b. —.

The children were all born in Cleveland.

GEORGE WASHINGTON BURROUGHS

George W. Burroughs³ (son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the oldest child of Rebecca and Asa Burroughs. He was born February 3, 1825 in Cleveland, Ohio, where his boyhood was spent. He secured employment on a canal boat. For several years he was the owner and captain of a boat on the Wabash and Erie canal.

He settled at Lafayette, Ind., in 1849. He was married on November 4, 1849 to Miss Delilah Rinard, at Sylvania, Lucas County, Ohio. Miss Rinard was the daughter of James and Angeline Cohee Rinard.

Mr. Burroughs engaged in the ice business for many years in Lafayette. He served for some time as a member of the city council.

Mr. Burroughs was a member of the Episcopal church. He died at his home in Lafayette, November 4, 1892.

CHILDREN.

William Wallace, b. Sept. 10, 1851, d. Aug. 9, 1910.

Frances Helen, b. Jan. 3, 1854.

Anna B., b. May 25, 1856.

George W., Jr., b. Aug. 12, 1858.

Asa Levi, b. Aug. 8, 1861, d. May 14, 1905.

Seymour Edward, b. Nov. 12, 1863.

Lulu M., b. Jan. 28, 1866.

Infant, b. —.

Maude Alice, b. July 1, 1869.

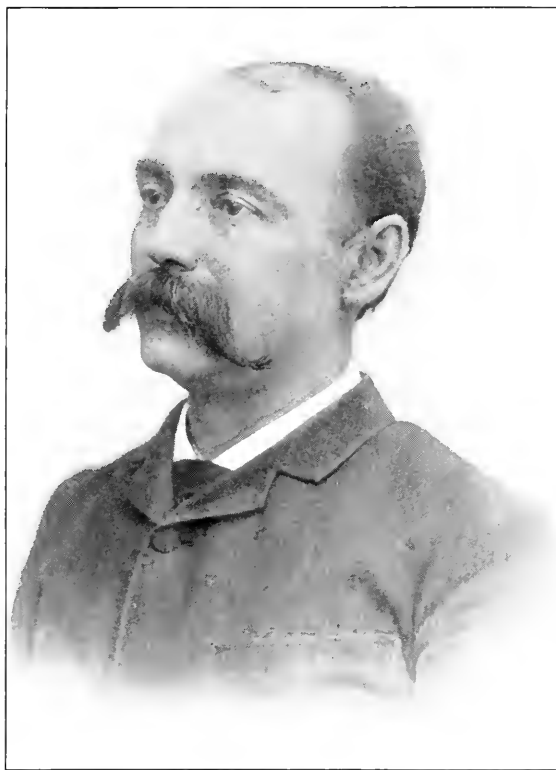
Mabel Angeline, b. Sept. 2, 1872.

WILLIAM WALLACE BURROUGHS

William Wallace⁴ (son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) the oldest child of George W. and Delilah Burroughs, was born at Lafayette, Ind., September 10, 1851. He was educated in the schools of his native city. He was married on January 2, 1872 to Miss Sophronia Ellen Julien. Miss Julien was the daughter of Alexander and Martha A. Julien, and was born July 28, 1856, at Shannondale, Ind.

In 1881 Mr. Burroughs was appointed Deputy County Clerk of Tippecanoe County, Ind. So faithfully and with such ability did he discharge his duties that he was continued in this office until his death, a period of thirty years.

The following obituary of Mr. Burroughs, printed in the Lafayette Morning Journal of August 10, 1910, gives so full a record of his life that we give it in full:



WILLIAM W. BURROUGHS

William W. Burroughs, who spent almost a life time at the clerk's desk in the circuit court room, died at 10:50 o'clock last night at the family residence, 1308 North Sixteenth street. He had been ill since last Thanksgiving, but there was a brief rally during the holidays and he returned to his desk for two or three days. He was ambitious and resolute, but his return to work was too great a tax upon his strength and he was compelled to return to his home. He had been troubled by valvular disease of the heart for several years and this was followed by a dropsical affection. He was not confined to his bed all the time, but there were intervals of collapse when it was thought the end would come at any moment. He possessed great vitality and these collapses were followed by rallies that gave encouragement. He would recuperate so much that he was able to sit on the porch or on the lawn and enjoy the sunshine of early summer. There were times when he gave up hope, but there were other times when he felt sure that he would some day conquer disease and return to his desk at the court house. His inability to work caused him more worry than his physical suffering. Four or five days ago he lost consciousness and remained in that condition until the end came.

Mr. Burroughs was born in Lafayette on September 10, 1851. He was a son of the late George W. Burroughs, long a prominent citizen, and was one of a large family. His mother is still living and is making her home with her daughter, Mrs. Maud Lane, in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Burroughs obtained an ordinary education in the Lafayette schools and then enlisted in the United States navy, serving four years as a seaman. He saw some active service in operations against smugglers on the west coast of Mexico and visited many ports. After leaving the navy he traveled extensively through the west. He was married in this city in 1873 to Miss Sophronia Julian, who

survives with four children, namely: Miss Zoelah M. Burroughs, supervisor of art in the city schools; Mrs. W. Loraine Batt, of Philadelphia, and William and Jean Burroughs, both students.

Mr. Burroughs was an enthusiastic republican and made one race for the nomination for county clerk, an office with whose duties he had long been familiar, but never filled an elective office. He served by appointment for thirty years as deputy county clerk, most of the time as clerk of the circuit court, and was so invaluable in that capacity that he was not distrusted by either judge or county clerk when changes were made in those offices. He was familiar with every form of court work, was faithful, reliable and conscientious in the discharge of his duties and enjoyed the confidence and respect of every attorney at the bar. He was always cheerful, always agreeable, always accommodating, and his courteous manner and complete mastery of legal detail made him a great favorite and indispensable. His knowledge of probate matters was acquired by long service and was remarkable. Mr. Burroughs was fond of music and played several instruments. He was a member of different musical organizations and was connected with different drum corps and bands. He took an active part in political demonstrations and did much social playing. He was a great lover of nature and established a summer home on the island in the river opposite the Trail. Canoeing was one of his delights and he spent a part of each summer in camp and on the river. He was well read and well informed and was an agreeable companion. Mr. Burroughs' splendid character and nature was best revealed in his home. He worshipped his family and they worshipped him. He lived alone for their happiness. His home was his castle and he made it as beautiful and happy as possible. He used the magic of music and flowers to hold the love of his family

and it was a privilege to share the hospitality of his home. Mr. Burroughs was a member of the First Baptist church and was secretary of the Brotherhood of that church. He was a member of the Imperial council No. 316, Royal Arcanum, and the Court of Honor. He was one of the best known men in the city and had a large circle of friends. People were won to him by his splendid traits of character and there was no more highly esteemed man in Lafayette. He lived in such a way that he will always be remembered.

The following tribute to the memory of William Wallace Burroughs was written by his daughter, Miss Zoelah M. Burroughs:

IN APPRECIATION OF MY FATHER.

Over the pages of by-gone years,
My heart turns back tonight;
Back to the lisps of babyhood,
Warm in the home fire-light.

I hear the strains of a soft guitar,
And a lullaby voice singing low,
Tender and sweet with the father love
For the baby of long ago.

"This way to dreamland, little one!"
At dark or in sunshine's glow,
Always the voice and the love led on
To the land that the fairies know.

I hear the thrush's song, the bullfrog's bass,
The ripple of water clear,
The quiet patter of summer rain,
The wind so far, so near,

But now the thrush is a lady fair,
The waters sing in tune,
The speckled frog is a fiddler quaint,
Who plays to the yellow moon.

There's a whisper of elfins among the leaves,
And a fairy you cannot see
Lives down in the dark of the old guitar,
The voice and the love tell me.

The beautiful world of the child who passed
Through the years of yesterday,
Still glows with the light and the love of the voice
Whose magic will always stay.

And somehow the smiles of the little child
Who lives now, will sweeter be,
Because of the voice and the love which sang
In the years that are past to me."

CHILDREN.

Zoelah Maria, b. May 29, 1875.

Ora, b. April 29, 1877, d. April 13, 1879.

Ray William, b. May 2, 1880, d. June 16, 1891.

Edna Sophronia, b. Aug. 26, 1882, d. Feb. 11, 1883.

Ruby Martha, b. May 29, 1887.

William Wallace, Jr., b. June 14, 1890.

Jean, b. May 16, 1893.

ZOELAH MARIA BURROUGHS

Zoelah Maria⁵ (daughter William⁴, son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) oldest child of William W. and Sophronia Burroughs, was born in Lafayette, Ind., on May 29, 1875. She graduated from Lafayette High School in 1893. She taught in the Lafayette public schools as grade

teacher, primary—1894-97. She attended the University of Illinois, specializing in art, English and pedagogy, 1897-98. She taught again in the Lafayette public schools, upper grades, 1898-1900. Then 1900-01, she attended Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., Normal Art course. She was superintendent of art instruction in the Lafayette schools, 1902-11.

Miss Burroughs is a member of the Lafayette Art Club and a director of the Lafayette Art Association. She is a member of the First Baptist church of Lafayette and is an earnest worker in church and Sunday School. She is a quiet, retiring person and of a sunny, happy disposition. She is kind to all, and patient in her treatment of the erring.

Miss Burroughs was married on August 3, 1913, to James David Hoffman, who is a professor in the college located at Lincoln, Neb. Their home is in Lincoln.

RUBY MARTHA BURROUGHS BATT

Ruby Martha⁵ (daughter William⁴, son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born at Lafayette, Ind., May 29, 1887. She was graduated from Lafayette High School in 1903, and from Purdue University—scientific course—in 1907. Her thesis on the history of Fort Ouitenon, written for graduation, was preserved for historical reference by the Daughters of the American Revolution in Lafayette. She taught high school history, and was supervisor of music and drawing in the public schools of Otterbein, Ind., for one year. She taught drawing another year in Bosinell, Ind.

She was married October 28, 1909, at Lafayette, Ind., to William Loraine Batt, of Philadelphia, Pa., formerly of Lafayette, Ind. William Loraine Batt, son of George M. and Hattie M. Batt, was born at Salem, Ind., July 31, 1885. He was graduated from the Lafayette High School in 1902, and

was graduated from Purdue University—mechanical course—in 1907. He was made a member of the Tau Beta Pi fraternity.

He holds at present a responsible position with the Hess, Bright Manufacturing Company, of Philadelphia. He is a member of the M. E. church. He is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, the American Society for Testing Material, the Association of Railway Electrical Engineers, and National Geographical Society.

Mrs. Ruby M. B. Batt is a member of the First Baptist church, Lafayette. She sang contralto in the quartet of St. John's Episcopal church of Lafayette for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Batt resided (1913) in Philadelphia, Pa. Their present address is 256 Mather Ave., Jenkintown, Pa.

CHILDREN.

Martha Loraine, b. July 28, 1910.

Barbara Burroughs, b. Jan. 5, 1912.

WILLIAM WALLACE BURROUGHS, JR.

William Wallace⁵ (son William⁴, son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born June 14, 1890, at Lafayette, Ind. He graduated from the Lafayette High School, and from Purdue University—civil engineering course—in 1912. He is a member of the Triangle Civil Engineering Fraternity. After his graduation he went to Philadelphia, Pa., and was employed by the W. W. Steete Company, architects and contractors. His present address (1913) is 2004 Mt. Vernon street, Philadelphia.

He is a member of the First Baptist church of Lafayette, and was tenor singer in the quartet of the church there.

JEAN BURROUGHS

Jean⁵, youngest child of William Wallace and Sophronia Burroughs, was born in Lafayette, Ind., May 16, 1893. She was graduated from the Lafayette High School in 1911. She studied piano at the Leeson-Hille Conservatory of Music, Philadelphia, Pa., the winter of 1911-12.

She is a member of the First Baptist church of Lafayette. Her present address is 1308 N. 16th street, Lafayette.

Of the home life of the family of William Wallace Burroughs, Miss Zoelah says: "We children were brought up out of doors. We skated, coasted, rowed and paddled in the Wabash since we were old enough to know. Consequently we all love the woods, the birds and the water. We always had music at home—plenty of it. We sang together and had an orchestra in which all took part but mamma. Nothing pleased papa more at home than a beautiful harmony in which all of us took a part. Mamma was the audience. We were brought up with stories and with Santa Claus. Papa was the annual Santa Claus in church and mission, and he made a splendid one. He was stockily built and made up well without a mask. He was so fond of children that he knew just how to please them."

FRANCES HELEN BURROUGHS LUPTON

Frances Helen⁴ (daughter George³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the second child of George W. and Delilah Burroughs. She was born January 3, 1854, at Lafayette, Tippecanoe County, Ind. She was educated in the schools of Lafayette. Early in life she became a member of the First Baptist church in her native city.

She was married October 18, 1876, to Othniel Lucre Lupton. Her husband was the eldest son of James John-

son and Martha Lane Lupton, and was born in Lafayette, June 10, 1849. He was a photographer by profession.

Soon after their marriage they moved to Greenville, Bond County, Ill., where they remained four years. They then moved to Paducah, Ky., but remained there but a short time. They were for brief periods located in Champaign, Champaign County, Ill.; Lafayette, Ind.; Independence, Buchanan County, Iowa. In September, 1882, they located in Burlington, Des Moines County, Iowa, where they have since resided with the exception of two years—1896-7—spent at New London, Henry County, Iowa. Mr. Lupton died January 19, 1912.

CHILDREN.

Oscar Burroughs, b. Sept. 13, 1878, d. Sept. 13, 1878.

Hattie Burroughs, b. June 24, 1880, d. Feb. 27, 1889.

Hyatt Burroughs, b. Jan. 10, 1883, d. Mar. 17, 1889.

Othniel Lucre Burroughs, b. June 16, 1885.

LaVerne Burroughs, b. May 2, 1888.

Edna Burroughs, b. May 2, 1892, d. Sept. 15, 1893.

Earl Burroughs, b. May 2, 1892, d. Mar. 17, 1897.

Kenneth Burroughs, b. Nov. 29, 1894.

To each of their eight children the name Burroughs was given as a middle name.

Hallie was a bright, winsome girl of nine years, and Hyatt a lovely boy of four years, when diphtheria entered their happy home and in less than three weeks bore away these two treasures from the household.

OTHNIEL LUCRE BURROUGHS LUPTON

Othniel L. B. Lupton⁵ (son Frances Helen⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) was born at Burlington, Iowa, June 16, 1885. He was married July 28, 1909, to Miss Selma Frederickson Matson, a charming Burlington girl. She was the daughter of N. Christian and

Ida Frederickson Matson, and was born November 5, 1888. Mr. Lupton was a popular clerk in a cigar store in his home city. In October, 1911, he removed to Sweetwater, Texas, where he is now (1913) in partnership with his brother-in-law in a cigar store and pool and billiard room.

CHILD.

Clayton LaVerne, b. Aug. 20, 1913.

LA VERNNE BURROUGHS LUPTON

La Vernne B. Lupton⁵ (son Frances Helen⁴, daughter Goerge W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) son of Frances Helen and Othniel Lucre Lupton, was born May 2, 1888, in Burlington, Iowa. He united with the Trinity Lutheran church, January 21, 1906, during the revival meetings conducted by Billy Sunday, the Evangelist. La Vernne is a skilled carver and letterer on marble and was employed in the largest monument works in the west until September, 1912, when he accepted a position with the marble works in Humboldt, Tenn., where he is at this time (1913).

KENNETH BURROUGHS LUPTON

Kenneth B. Lupton⁵ is the youngest of the children of Frances Helen and Othniel L. Lupton. He was born Nov. 29, 1894, in Burlington, Iowa. He graduated with honor from the Burlington Grammar School in 1910. He is an athletic boy, and football is his favorite sport. He is now in the employ of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific R. R. He is doing clerical work in the freight department at Burlington, Iowa, and resides with his mother.

ANNA BURROUGHS BAKER

Anna B. Burroughs⁴ (daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born May 25, 1856, at Lafayette, Ind. She was educated in the schools of Lafayette. She was united in marriage on Oct. 18, 1877, with Samuel Brown Baker.

Samuel Brown Baker was born in Dover, England, Jan. 4, 1853. He was a son of Henry Baker, who was long connected with the Civil Service Department of the English Government.

Samuel Baker came to Lafayette, Ind., in 1869 and was associated with The Lafayette Journal fourteen years. In 1883 he removed with his family to Parkersburg, W. Va., where for eighteen years he was engaged with A. B. White in the publication of The State Journal. In 1901 he was appointed by Gov. A. B. White as Ajustant General of West Virginia. He was reappointed to that office in 1905 by Gov. M. O. Dawson. He removed with his family to Huntington, W. Va., in 1904, and became a partner in the Huntington Herald. He disposed of his interest in the Herald in 1906 and moved with his family to Clarksburg, W. Va., where he became business manager of the Clarksburg Telegram.

On April 27, 1907, he accompanied Gov. Dawson to the opening of the Jamestown Exposition. He then went with the governor to Charleston, W. Va., on the transaction of official business. He left Charleston on May 1st. to return home. Their train met with a terrible accident in which many people were killed or wounded. Regardless of the danger to himself from exposure to the cold, he removed both his coats to be used as pillows by ladies seriously injured. He contracted a serious cold which developed into pneumonia, of which he died on May 17, 1907. He was buried in Parkersburg, W. Va. His family now resides in that city.

Mrs. Anna B. Baker is a member of Trinity Episcopal Church.

CHILDREN.

Bertha Burroughs, b. Aug. 23, 1878.

Maude Mabelle, b. July 1, 1883.

Norma Burroughs, b. Nov. 28, 1885.

Anna Belle Burroughs, b. Dec. 18, 1887.

Marguerite Elizabeth, b. Oct. 3, 1889.

Amelia Brown, b. Sept. 6, 1891

Samuel Brown, Jr., b. May 2, 1898.

Bertha and Maude were born in Lafayette, Ind. The other children were born in Parkersburg, W. Va. All the daughters are members of Trinity Episcopal Church, Parkersburg.

BERTHA BURROUGHS BAKER McCLUER

Bertha Burroughs⁵ (daughter Anna⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the oldest child of Anna B. and Samuel B. Baker. She was born Aug. 23, 1878, in Lafayette, Ind. When she was five years old her parents removed to Parkersburg, W. Va., where she has since resided. She was united in marriage with James Steele McCluer, October 21, 1902. He was born Nov. 15, 1877, at Parkersburg, and is the oldest son of Judge J. McCluer. James Steele McCluer is one of West Virginia's most promising young attorneys.

CHILDREN.

Anna Elizabeth, b. Aug. 3, 1905.

Helen Baker, b. Nov. 15, 1910.

MAUDE MABELLE BURROUGHS

Maude Mabelle⁵, second daughter of Anna B. and Samuel B. Baker, was born July 1, 1883, in Lafayette, Ind. A few months later her parents removed to Parkersburg, W. Va., and her life has been spent in that city.

NORMA BURROUGHS BAKER NERN

Norma B. Baker⁵ (daughter Anna⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Parkersburg, W. Va., Nov. 28, 1885. She was educated in the schools of Parkersburg. She is a member of Trinity Episcopal Church in Parkersburg.

She was married to William Edward Nern, at Huntington, W. Va., on Feb. 15, 1905. William Edward Nern is a son of Henry Nern of Parkersburg, and was born Nov. 18, 1884. He is a newspaper man by occupation. Their home is in Parkersburg.

CHILD.

William Baker, b. April 7, 1909, at Morgantown, W. Va.

ANNA B. B. BAKER KENNEDY

Anna Belle Burroughs⁵ (daughter Anna⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), daughter of Anna B. and Samuel B. Baker, was born Dec. 18, 1887, in Parkersburg, W. Va. Her home was in Parkersburg until 1904, when the family moved to Huntington, W. Va., and two years later to Clarksburg. On the death of her father the family returned to Parkersburg. Here, on Jan. 7, 1908, she was married to Frank J. Kennedy, who was born July 3, 1885, at Rixford, Can. He is the son of S. J. Kennedy, a wealthy oil producer of Marietta, Ohio, and is engaged with his father in the oil business. Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Kennedy now reside at Moose Jaw, Sask, Canada.

AMELIA BROWN BAKER RITTENHOUSE

Amelia Brown⁵ (daughter Anna⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the youngest daughter of Anna B. and Samuel B. Baker. She was born Sept. 6,

1891, at Parkersburg, W. Va. Two years, 1904-1905, were spent in Huntington, and two years, 1906-1907, in Clarksburg, W. Va. With the exception of these years her life has been spent in Parkersburg, and that city is still her home.

On October 9, 1912, she became the wife of Bryan Rittenhouse, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rittenhouse. He was born May 22, 1890, in Parkersburg, and educated in the schools of that city. He is a member of the M. E. Church and belongs to the Masonic fraternity. He is connected with the National Woolen Mills of Parkersburg.

GEORGE WASHINGTON BURROUGHS, JR.

George W.⁴ (son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), son of George W. and Delilah Rinard Burroughs, was born at Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 12, 1858.

When asked for data from which to prepare a sketch of his life, he wrote: Mine has been a very uneventful life, and while it has had its stirring events I have no political or jail record with which to make history."

He was educated in the public schools of Lafayette. When nineteen years of age he took up newspaper work on the "Lafayette Sunday Times," and later with the "Lafayette Morning Journal." From Lafayette he went to Paducah, Ky., as managing editor of the "Morning Enterprise." While resident there he was married to Clara May Covert on Oct. 27, 1881, in Lafayette.

Miss Clara May Covert was born Feb. 22, 1863, two miles south of Lafayette. She was the daughter of William M. and Sarah Hutchinson Covert, who were married in Avon, N. Y. Her father was born in Ohio. He enlisted as a private in Co. I, 11th Indiana Cavalry, and died in 1864 while in the service of the U. S.

In 1882 Mr. Burroughs went from Paducah to Louisville, Ky., to become city editor of the "Daily World." Soon afterward he became telegraphic editor of that paper, and later he was city editor of the "Courier-Journal." In 1886-7 he did legislative and state politics work on the "Louisville Daily Commercial," having, on account of political affiliations, together with a dozen other writers on the Courier-Journal, been asked to resign in order to make room for Democrats.

He left the "Louisville Commercial" in order to establish the first Republican newspaper ever published in the fifth congressional district of Kentucky. This paper, "The Central City Republican," published in Mecklenburg Co., was a success from the beginning. After its establishment the Republicans effected an organization in the county for the first time, and the second year they won in both county and district.

In 1887 Mr. Burroughs moved to Kansas and purchased the "Hope Herald." In 1889 he was appointed postmaster and served until his removal to Abilene, Kansas, in 1892. At Abilene he established the "Daily Chronicle," which still exists. On account of a long period of sickness he was compelled to sell the "Daily Chronicle" in 1899. In 1900 he removed to Concordia, Kan., where he purchased the Weekly Blade, which he converted into the Daily Blade, of which he has since been the editor. The Daily Blade has absorbed the Concordia Empire and Concordia Daylight, rival papers.

In 1910 he located in Topeka, Kan., and is now engaged in commercial printing business under the firm name of Burroughs and Jones. He is a member of numerous fraternal societies.

CHILDREN.

Covert Gish, b. Oct. 21, 1882.

Doris Delilah, b. Oct. 13, 1891.

COVERT GISH BURROUGHS

Covert Gish⁵ (son George W.⁴, son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), only son of George W. and Clara Covert Burroughs, was born Oct. 21, 1882, in Louisville, Ky. To learn where his boyhood was spent and his education secured one must read the sketch of his father's life.

He was married July 10, 1907, at Crookston, Minn., to Miss Gertrude M. Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Parker of Abilene, Kan. He was general superintendent for a time of the Parker factories at Abilene. This company is the largest manufacturer of amusement devices in America.

Having lost his wife, Mr. Covert G. Burroughs was again married on Sept. 29, 1912, to Miss Grace Royer, of Topeka, Kan. He resides in Topeka and is now a traveling salesman. He is a member of the U. C. T., Elks, and K. O. T. M.

DORIS DELILAH BURROUGHS

Doris Delilah⁵ (daughter George W.⁴, son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the only daughter of George W. and Clara Covert Burroughs. She was born in Hope, Dickinson Co., Kan., October 13, 1891. She graduated from the Concordia High School in 1911. She is a member of the Episcopal Church. Miss Doris is a very popular young lady in Concordia and Topeka.

ASA LEVI BURROUGHS

Asa Levi⁴ (son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), son of George W. Burroughs and Delilah Rinard Burroughs, was born Aug. 8, 1861, at Lafayette, Ind. He graduated from the public schools of Lafayette and then studied four years at Purdue University, Lafayette. He then became a railroad employee. He was married to Anna T. Blackburn

on March 7, 1893, at Lexington, Ky. One year later his wife died in Lafayette, Ind. He soon left Lafayette and went to Terrell, Tex. Here he secured the position of master of transportation on the Texas Midland R. R.

He was married to Miss Fannie Childress Nov. 22, 1899, at Terrell. She is the daughter of Brice and Kate Childress, and was born at Terrell, Jan. 3, 1880.

Mr Burroughs united with the Episcopal Church in 1900. He died at Terrell on May 14, 1905. His widow, Mrs. Fannie Burroughs, married James T. Rountree and resides at Paris, Texas.

CHILD.

Asa Brice, b. Feb. 2, 1901.

ASA BRICE BURROUGHS

Asa Brice⁵, only child of Asa L. and Fannie Burroughs, was born Feb. 2, 1901, at Terrell, Tex. He lives with his mother, Mrs. James T. Rountree, at Paris, Tex., where he is attending the public schools.

SEYMOUR EDWARD BURROUGHS

Seymour Edward⁴ (son George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), the sixth child of George W., Sr., and Delilah R. Burroughs, was born Nov. 12, 1863, at Lafayette, Ind. He was educated in the public schools of Lafayette and then entered into business in his native city. He is an ice dealer.

Mr. Burroughs married Miss Alice E. Workoff, of Lafayette, on Nov. 14, 1886. They have no children. He is a member of the I. O. O. F. They reside in Lafayette, 1913.

LULU M. BURROUGHS MILLER

Lulu M.⁴ (daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was a daughter of George W. and Delilah R. Burroughs. She was born Jan. 28, 1866, in Lafayette, Ind.,

and attended the public schools of that city. On Sept. 30, 1891, she became the wife of Charles F. Miller, who was a son of John F. and Rebecca Miller. He was born Nov. 20, 1858, at Veedersburg, Ind. He is a salesman in the employ of the Folkmers Furniture and Undertaking House. Mrs. Miller united with the Baptist Church Mar. 7, 1881.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller reside in Lafayette, and all their children were born in that city.

CHILDREN.

Natalie Burroughs, b. July 22, 1892.

Frances Ruth, b. Nov. 20, 1893.

George Burroughs, b. May 11, 1895.

Carl Melvin, b. Sept. 8, 1897, d. Feb. 13, 1900.

Harold Edgar, b. May 22, 1901.

NATALIE BURROUGHS MILLER

Natalie B.⁵ (daughter Lulu⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), oldest child of Lulu Burroughs and Charles F. Miller, was born July 22, 1892. She received her education in the public schools of Lafayette. She is a musician, and she is unmarried.

FRANCES RUTH MILLER

Frances Ruth⁵, a daughter of Lulu B. and Charles F. Miller, was born Nov. 20, 1893, in Lafayette, Ind., and attended the public schools there until the close of her third year in high school. She then took a business course and is now (1913) a bookkeeper and stenographer. She is single.

GEORGE BURROUGHS MILLER

George B.⁵ (son Lulu⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), oldest son of Lulu B. and Charles F. Miller, was born May 11, 1895, in Lafayette, Ind.

He passed through the grammar grades of the public schools and spent three years in high school. He then took up telegraphy and is a telegraph operator in the employ of the Western Union Telegraph Co. He is employed in Chicago, Ill.

MAUDE ALICE BURROUGHS LANE

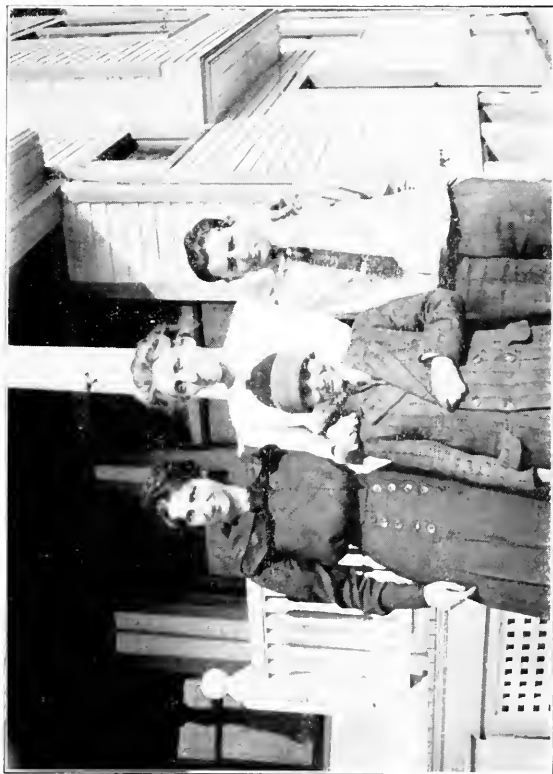
Maude Alice⁴ (daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the ninth of the children of George W. and Delilah R. Burroughs. Her birth was in Lafayette, Ind., and the date July 1, 1869. She was educated in the public schools of Lafayette and in Purdue University of that city.

She was baptized and united with the First Baptist Church Mar. 9, 1889.

On Mar. 7, 1893, she became the wife of Henry Marquette Lane, of Oak Park, Ill. He was a mechanical and mining engineer. In the fall of 1895 they moved from Lafayette to Deer Lodge, Mont., and a year later they went to Pullman, Wash. In both of these places Mr. Lane was Professor of Mechanical and Mining Engineering in colleges located there.

From Pullman they went to Scranton, Pa., where for five years Mr. Lane was at the head of the Department of Mechanical and Mining Engineering in the International Correspondence School, situated there. They came to Cleveland, Ohio, in February, 1903, where for a time Mr. Lane edited "The Foundry."

In a short time the family took up their residence in Lakewood, a suburb of Cleveland. Mrs. Lane and her children still reside there (1913). Mr. Lane deserted his family in 1909, leaving to Mrs. Lane the task of bringing up their three children. Bravely has she met the duty. She is a devoted, loving mother, an earnest Christian woman, thoughtful in her



MAUDE B. LANE AND CHILDREN

consideration of the interests of others; faithful in the performance of duty; cheerful and helpful in her intercourse with all whom she meets.

CHILDREN.

Julia Elizabeth, b. June 1, 1895.

Samuel Alanson, b. April 2, 1897.

Marquette Burroughs, b. Jan. 20, 1900.

JULIA ELIZABETH LANE

Julia Elizabeth⁵ (daughter Maude⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the oldest child of Maude A. Burroughs and Henry M. Lane. She was born June 1, 1895, in Lafayette, Ind. Her early years were spent in Deer Lodge, Mont., and Pullman, Wash. From 1898 to 1903 her home was in Scranton, Pa. Since 1903 she has resided in Cleveland, Ohio, and Lakewood, a suburb of Cleveland. She attended the public schools in Scranton, Pa. and Cleveland. She will graduate from Lakewood High School in June, 1913. She united with the Trinity Congregational Church, Cleveland, in the Spring of 1904.

SAMUEL ALANSON LANE

Samuel Alanson⁵ (son Maude⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), son of Maude A. Burroughs and Henry M. Lane, was born April 2, 1897, in Pullman, Wash. Five years of his childhood were spent in Scranton, Pa. He attended public school in Cleveland, and later in Lakewood. He is now a student in the Lakewood High School. He is a member of the Lakewood Presbyterian Church.

MARQUETTE BURROUGHS LANE

Marquette B. Lane⁵, youngest child of Maude Burroughs and Henry M. Lane, began his earthly career in Scranton, Pa., on Jan. 20, 1900. When three years old he migrated to Cleveland, Ohio, but soon took up his abode in Lakewood, a beautiful suburb of Cleveland. He attends the public school. He united with the Lakewood Presbyterian Church in April, 1912.

MABLE A. BURROUGHS SOUTHWORTH

Mabel Angeline B.⁴ (daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), the youngest of the ten children of George W. and Delilah R. Burroughs, was born Sept. 2, 1872, in Lafayette, Ind. She secured her education in the public schools of that city. On May 7, 1886, she united with the First Baptist Church.

She was united in marriage with Frank B. Southworth on April 9, 1891. He is a merchant. Their home is in Lafayette.

CHILD.

Mildred Burroughs, b. Feb. 9, 1895.

MILDRED BURROUGHS SOUTHWORTH

Mildred B.⁵ (daughter Mable⁴, daughter George W.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the only child of Mable A. Burroughs and Frank B. Southworth. She was born in Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 9, 1895. She is a student in the Lafayette High School.

ANGELINE B. MORSE-BISHOP

Angeline Burroughs³ (daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the oldest daughter of Rebecca and Asa Burroughs. She was born in 1827 in Cleveland, Ohio, where she

resided until her marriage, in 1844, to William Morse, of Bedford, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio. They made their home in Bedford. Four children were born to them. The first died in infancy. A son, James Morse, grew to be a young man and then went to LaPorte, Ind. There he married and it is reported that he has three children. But as no reply was received to the numerous letters addressed him we can give no record of himself and family. The third child, a daughter, Nell, died in childhood.

The youngest child, Cora, grew to womanhood in her mother's home in Bedford. She married William Post, of Hudson, Ohio. Two children were born to her, but both died in infancy. Mrs. Post died at her home in Hudson, in 1903.

William Morse died in 1874. Mrs. Morse then married Hiram Bishop. He died in 1885. Mrs. Bishop died in 1901. She was a member of the Christian or Disciple Church.

LUCY BURROUGHS ELLIOTT

Lucy³ (daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the second daughter of Rebecca and Asa Burroughs. She was born in 1829 in Cleveland, Ohio, where her girlhood was spent. She married James Elliott. They removed to Flint, Mich. Here eight children were born to them, all of whom died young. The first three children were named Nellie, Harry and Kate. The names of the others are unknown.

Mrs. Elliott and her husband died in Flint, Mich., but the dates of death are unknown.

SABRINA BURROUGHS ODELL

Sabrina C.³ (daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the fourth child of Rebecca and Asa Burroughs. Her birthday was Mar. 6, 1831. Her birthplace, Cleveland, Ohio. Here she grew to womanhood.

On May 2, 1849, she was married to John Odell, who was born in Watertown, N. Y., April 20, 1829. Mr. Odell was engaged in detective work the greater part of his life. On the breaking out of the Civil War he entered the secret service department of the U. S. and moved with his family to Washington, D. C., where they resided five years. The family then returned to Cleveland.

Mrs. Odell was a member of the Free Will Baptist Church. She died Oct. 6, 1904, after many months of intense suffering.

Mr. Odell died May 21, 1905.

Mrs. Odell was an energetic, capable woman. She was a devoted mother and a loyal friend.

CHILDREN.

Charles E., b. Dec. 20, 1850, d. Dec. 9, 1910.

George W., b. Mar. 28, 1852, d. Jan. 29, 1880.

CHARLES E. ODELL

Charles E.⁴ (son Sabrina³, daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the elder of the two sons of Sabrina and John Odell. He was born Dec. 20, 1850, in Cleveland, Ohio. He attended the public schools in Cleveland. In 1861 his father moved to Washington, D. C., where Charles attended school for five years. The family returned to Cleveland. Charles graduated from the Central High School. He was then appointed a clerk in the Cleveland Postoffice and served in the money order department for several years.

He married Margaretta Kavanaugh Oct. 12, 1873. She was the daughter of P. K. and Ellen Kavanaugh, and was born July 17, 1857, in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Odell engaged in business with the Gordon Real Estate Co.

He united with Bethany Presbyterian Church and soon became a ruling elder in the church, assistant superintendent of

the Sabbath School, and president of the Men's Club of the church. He was an earnest, faithful worker in these offices and had the love and respect of all associated with him. Even after disease had compelled him to give up work he retained his interest in his church and its members. From his sick bed frequent messages were sent by him to individual members, encouraging and advising them. And in the public services of the church and Sunday school for many weeks few prayers were offered in which his name was not mentioned and God's blessing upon him invoked.

His sufferings were borne with patience, and there was a quiet resignation to his Heavenly Father's will—a desire to live and serve, or a willingness to depart, as God willed. But on Dec. 9th, 1910, after months of intense suffering, the summons came, and

“Then the glad waking,
Where heaven is breaking;
Newness of life ‘over there’.”

CHILDREN.

Edith Clare, b. June 13, 18—.

Wheeler Harold, b. Feb. 27, 1898.

EDITH ODELL PEGG

Edith Clare⁵ (daughter Charles⁴, son Sabrina³, daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), daughter of Charles and Margeretta Odell, was born June 13, ———, in Cleveland, Ohio. She graduated from the Central High School. On Sept. 30, 1903, she became the wife of Ernest Pegg. He was born in England. Mrs. Pegg united with the First Presbyterian or “Old Stone Church,” in her girlhood. She afterward became an earnest worker in Bethany Presbyterian Church and Sunday School. Her husband is a member of St. John's Episcopal Church. They have no children.

WHEELER HAROLD ODELL

Wheeler Harold⁵ (son Charles⁴, son Sabrina³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the younger of two children of Charles and Margaretta Odell. He was born Feb. 27, 1898, in Cleveland, Ohio. He is now a student in the Cleveland High School. He resides with his mother at ——— Clinton Ave.

GEORGE W. ODELL

George W.⁴ (son Sabrina³, daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), the younger of the sons of Sabrina and John Odell, was born Mar. 28, 1852, in Cleveland, Ohio. When George was nine years old his father received a commission in the Secret Service of the U. S., and removed with his family to Washington, D. C. Here George attended school until after the close of the Civil War.

He did not miss a day from school during his five years' residence in Washington. He won the prize offered to his class for the best student. He crossed the White House grounds going to and from school. President Lincoln frequently took him by the hand and inquired about his studies.

George, by his pleasant, friendly ways won the love not of teachers and schoolmates only, but of all who met him.

On his return to Cleveland he graduated from the Central High School. After his graduation he received a position in the Cleveland P. O. as mail carrier.

He was married to Rose Mason. He died Jan. 29, 1880, at the early age of 28 years.

One child, John Odell, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Odell.

The date of his death we could not learn. After the death of George W. Odell, his widow married again. She



READING FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, STANDING—SEYMOUR BURROUGHS, BELLE BURROUGHS, HIS WIFE; GEORGE
 NOLTON, FRANCES B. NOLTON; JOHN GLAZE, SARAH B. GLAZE. SITTING—LUCY BURROUGHS
 ELLIOTT; SABRINA B. ODELL; GEORGE W. BURROUGHS, DELILAH, HIS WIFE; HELEN B. LEWIS.

removed with her son to Chicago and later to some other city in the west. All trace of John Odell has been lost by his relatives. There remains only a rumor that he became a singer of some note, is married, and has two children.

HELEN PRATT LEWIS

Helen Burroughs³ (daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the fifth child of Rebecca and Asa Burroughs. She was born in 1833, in Cleveland, Ohio. Her first husband was named Edward Pratt. Two children, Clarence and George, were born to them, but both died in infancy. Mr. Pratt was a theatrical manager. He died in Erie, Pa. Mrs. Pratt married, for her second husband, Horatio Lewis, of Cleveland. They moved to Chicago, Ill. Mr. Lewis became interested in beef packing business. He invented some appliances used in dressing cattle, and became wealthy. As reported to us, eight children were born to them, but five died in infancy.

Ida, Maude and Albert lived.

After the death of Mr. Lewis, the family went to England, and the son, Albert, entered Oxford University. He died in England, but was interred in Chicago. The family returned to Chicago. Ida Lewis married Raymond Eddy. She has two children, Kenneth and Raymond Eddy.

Maude Lewis married a Dr. Lewis in Chicago. She died without children. Mrs. Helen Pratt Lewis died many years ago in Chicago.

WILLIAM H. BURROUGHS

William H.³ (son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Aug. 8, 1835, in Cleveland, Ohio. His early years were spent in Cleveland. He learned the tinner's trade. He also worked on the canal on the boat of his brother George W.

Burroughs. In 1855 he went to Lafayette, Ind. Here he was married on Nov. 19, 1857, to Sarah C. Vaughn. She was the daughter of Edward and Eleanor Vaughn and was born Feb. 2, 1836, in Fredericksburg, Md. Mr. Burroughs died Dec. 23, 1858, aged 23 years, 4½ months.

Afterward Mrs. Burroughs married Mr. Leonidas Huff, and after this marriage her life was spent on a farm near Lafayette. She died Jan. 18, 1910. Mr. Huff died Dec. 31, 1910.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs.

CHILD.

Clayton W., b. Sept. 30, 1858.

CLAYTON W. BURROUGHS

Clayton W.⁴ (son William H.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), only child of William H. and Sarah C. Burroughs, was born Sept. 30, 1858, at Lafayette, Ind. His young father died when Clayton was three months old.

He says: "Of my early life I remember little. My mother kept me with her and when I was old enough to go she sent me to the district school. I attended school until 1874, when my school days ended. My early years were spent on the farm with my mother. After my marriage I became a tenant farmer and continued in that occupation till 1893.

"I then secured employment in the shops of the Monon Railroad Co. I remained there till 1911. I was then appointed sheriff of Tippecanoe Co., Ind., and am still serving in that capacity."

He was married Aug. 10, 1881, to Elizabeth Burkhardt, who was born Oct. 4, 1861, in Lafayette. She was the daughter of David and Margaret Burkhardt. Mr. Burroughs is a member of the Independent Order of Eagles and is filling the

highest office in the gift of the Lodge in Lafayette, where he now resides.

CHILDREN.

William D., b. Jan. 23, 1883.
Sarah E., b. Mar. 30, 1884, d. July 28, 1884.
Mary Elizabeth, b. July 17, 185—.
John E., b. Oct. 27, 1887, d. Dec. 2, 1908.
Eleanor Frances, b. Mar. 16, 1889.
Anna C., b. Feb. 19, 1890.
Clarence J., b. Sept. 23, 1893.
Edna F., b. May 30, 1895.
Clayton W., Jr., b. Mar. 19, 1898.
George W., b. Aug. 28, 1907.

WILLIAM D. BURROUGHS

William D.⁵ (son Clayton⁴, son William H.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), the first child of Clayton W. and Elizabeth Burroughs, was born Jan. 23, 1883, near Lafayette, Ind. His boyhood was spent on the farm and he attended the district school. He is a boilermaker by trade. On Nov. 17, 1908, he was married to Nellie Blanche Zollman, at Des Moines, Iowa. She was born at Schuyler, Neb., and was the daughter of James M. and Harriet Carter Zollman.

William D. Burroughs is a member of the following orders: Red Men, Elks, Masons, Boilermakers of America.

He resides in Lafayette.

He has no children.

MARY E. BURROUGHS SCHUMAKER

Mary Elizabeth⁵ (daughter Clayton⁴, son William H.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), daughter of Clayton W. and Elizabeth Burroughs, was born July 17, 1885, near Lafayette, Ind. Her childhood was spent on a farm. In 1893

her father moved to Lafayette. Here she secured a position as saleslady. She was married to Bruce H. Schumaker, July 22, 1911. He is a railway trainman on the Monon R. R. Their home is in Lafayette.

They have no children.

JOHN E. BURROUGHS

John E.⁵, second son of Clayton W. and Elizabeth Burroughs, was born Oct. 27, 1887, on a farm in the vicinity of Lafayette, Ind. In 1893 his father's family removed to Lafayette. Here he attended the public schools. He became a railway trainman on the Wabash R. R. and was killed Dec. 2, 1908, while engaged in the performance of duty. He was a member of the Order of Railway Trainmen.

ELEANOR F. BURROUGHS DOVE

Eleanor Frances⁵, daughter of Clayton W. and Elizabeth Burroughs, was born Mar. 16, 1888, near Lafayette, Ind. When she was five years old the family moved into Lafayette. Having graduated from the grammar school, she spent one year in high school. She then attended business college and became a stenographer.

On June 6, 1910, she became the bride of Allison E. Dove, of Chicago. He is a barber by occupation. Their home is in Chicago. Mrs. Dove is a member of the Baptist Church.

There are no little Doves.

ANNA C. BURROUGHS FINNEGAN

Anna C.⁵ (daughter Clayton⁴, son William H.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Feb. 19, 1890, on a farm near Lafayette, Ind. Three years later her father moved to Lafayette. Here she graduated from the grammar

school, and afterward secured a position as saleslady. She is a member of the Baptist Church. She was united in marriage on Sept. 21, 1910, with William J. Finnegan. He is a conductor on the Monon R. R. Their home is in Lafayette.

CHILD.

Mary Frances, b. Sept. 19, 1912.

CLARENCE J. BURROUGHS

Clarence J.⁵, son of Clayton W.⁴ and Elizabeth Burroughs, was born Sept. 23, 1893, in Lafayette, Ind. He graduated from the eighth grade and was then apprenticed to learn the boilermaker's trade. He is now (1913) serving his fourth year as apprentice.

EDNA F. BURROUGHS

Edna F.⁵, youngest daughter of Clayton W. and Elizabeth Burroughs, was born May 30, 1895, in Lafayette, Ind. She is a pupil in the Jefferson High School at Lafayette and is in her second year (1913).

SEYMOUR L. BURROUGHS

Seymour L.³ (son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the seventh child and youngest son of Rebecca and Asa Burroughs. He was born April 24, 1838, at Cleveland, Ohio. He attended school in that city. In 1854, when sixteen years of age, he left Cleveland and went to Lafayette, Ind., where he made his home. On the breaking out of the Civil War in 1861, he enlisted as a private in a company of cavalry then organizing in Lafayette. On reaching the front this company with other companies from Indiana, Ohio and New York, was merged in the 2nd Regiment of New York, afterward known

as the "Harris Light Cavalry," famous for its fighting qualities. Mr. Burroughs rose rapidly from the ranks to the command of his company for gallant and meritorious conduct on the field of battle. He served with distinction under Generals Kilpatrick, Custer and Sheridan, and was one of the few surviving officers of Dahlgreen's ill-fated ride around Richmond.

He participated in all the famous cavalry battles of the Army of the Potomac from Bull's Run to the Wilderness. He was seriously wounded on the evening of the last day of the "Seven Days" fighting. Capt. Burroughs never fully recovered from his wounds but was an invalid for many years.

He was discharged from the army at Albany, N. Y., with the rank of brevet colonel.

The following lines are taken from a letter written to Logan Post, No. 3, G. A. R., Lafayette, Ind., by a comrade of Capt. Burroughs on receiving news of his death:

"I sincerely deplore the loss we have all sustained. I was a member of his company in the 2nd New York Cavalry (Harris' Light Cavalry), and became intimately acquainted with him, learning to love him as my superior officer, and as a friend and brother during those times when the best and worst sides of a man's character were brought out. He was a splendid soldier, a strict disciplinarian, but just and kind; tireless in looking after the interests of his company. His confidence once gained it took long abuse to destroy it. Whatever his foibles may have been, let us not withhold the commendations his virtues claim at our hands. I was with him in the unlucky 'Dahlgreen Raid' around Richmond, as well as in many other severe cavalry fights, in which our noble old regiment was engaged, and I can truly say that where Capt. Burroughs was unwilling to go none cared to follow another leader.

"I had the pleasure of meeting him at our regimental reunion last September (1894), at Peekskill, N. Y., and saw

with regret his extreme weakness and failing health. With pleasure I acted as his attendant that day and can truly say it was one of the sweetest things in my life to again clasp his hand.

"Yours in F. L. and C.,

"JOSEPH E. FIRTH."

After this reunion he visited his daughter, Mrs. H. J. Putt, in Jersey City, and his son, H. S. Burroughs, at Felton, Pa. While at Felton came the last "Roll Call," and peacefully this brave soldier answered "Here."

He was married in Baltimore, Md., Jan. 28, 1864, to Miss Cassie Belle O'Donnel, who was born Sept. 14, 1844, in Elmira, N. Y. They resided in Dunkirk, New York, from 1864 to 1870. They then returned to Lafayette, Ind., where they resided until his death, Dec. 12, 1894.

He had no regular occupation, owing to being incapacitated for labor by the serious wound received in battle.

As a young man he attended the Christian Church, but later in life the Episcopal Church.

He never held any political office. He was a member of the Masonic and I. O. O. F. fraternities.

CHILDREN.

Viola May, b. July 23, 1865.

Harry Seymour, b. Sept. 27, 1866.

George J., b. Oct. 1, 1870, d. May 11, 1899.

Walter W., b. Aug. 8, 1875, d. Aug. 13, 1899.

Frank L., b. Sept. 18, 1878.

Arthur G., b. Mar. 5, 1880.

VIOLA MAY BURROUGHS PUTT

Viola May⁺ (daughter Seymour L.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the oldest child of Seymour L. and Caassie B. Burroughs. She was born July 23, 1865, at Dunkirk, N. Y. She removed with her parents to Lafayette, Ind.,

in 1870, where she attended school, graduating from the high school.

She was married Jan. 29, 1884, to Harry J. Putt, of Harrisburg, Pa. He was born Aug. 27, 1858, in Goldsboro, Pa.

After their marriage they went to Decatur, Ill., where they resided 1884-1885. They resided for short periods in Lafayette, Ind., Jersey City, N. J., Newark, Del. In 1893 they moved to New York City and their home has since been at 1017 Trinity Ave., Bronx Borough. Mrs. Putt is a member of Grace Baptist Church, Bronx Borough.

CHILDREN.

John H., b. Dec. 5, 1884, at Decatur, Ill., d. April 1, 1886.

Hazel B., b. April 27, 1886, at Lafayette, Ind.

Helen R., b. Nov. 12, 1887, at Jersey City, N. J., d. Jan. 6, 1913.

Edith M., b. Dec. 7, 1891, at Newark, Del., d. Oct. 1, 1894.

Harry J. Putt by occupation is chief electrical operator Interborough Rapid Transit Ry. Co., at New York City, 74th Street Power Station.

HAZEL B. PUTT

Hazel B.⁵ (daughter Viola⁴, daughter Seymour L.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the oldest daughter of Viola May and Harry J. Putt. She was born April 27, 1886, at Lafayette, Ind. In 1893 her parents moved to New York City. She graduated from the public schools in that city. She is a member of Grace Baptist Church. By occupation she is a milliner. Her home is with her parents at 1017 Trinity Ave., New York City.

HELEN R. PUTT

Helen R.⁵, second daughter of Viola May and Harry J. Putt, was born Nov. 12, 1887, at Jersey City, N. J. The family went to reside in New York City in 1893 and she gained her education in the public schools there, graduating



HELEN R. PUTT

from the high school in 1902. She was a stenographer and private secretary by profession and was engaged in her work until her health failed. She died at Wormleysburg, Pa., Jan. 6, 1913.

Miss Putt was a member of Grace Baptist Church, New York City.

HARRY SEYMOUR BURROUGHS

Harry Seymour⁴ (son Seymour L.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the oldest son of Seymour L. and Cassie B. Burroughs. He was born at Dunkirk, N. Y., on Sept. 21, 1866. When he was four years old his parents moved to Lafayette, Ind., and he was educated in the public schools of that city.

He was married Oct. 15, 1890, at Felton, Pa., to Miss Rebecca Barton Miller, who was born Aug. 27, 1866, at Village Grau, Pa. They resided in Felton from the time of their marriage until Mar. 25, 1905, when they removed to Brooklyn, N. Y., where they still reside at No. 562 55th St.

While in Felton, Mr. Burroughs was agent for the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. Co. Since his removal to Brooklyn, he has been employed as special correspondence clerk in charge of rates and tariffs for the Southern Pacific R. R. Co. in New York. Mr. Burroughs attends the Episcopal Church.

CHILDREN.

Earl A., b. July 6, 1891.

Harry S., Jr., b. May 14, 1897.

James Mellor, b. Dec. 16, 1900, d. Jan. 31, 1901.

Helen May, b. May 25, 1904.

EARL ALEXANDER BURROUGHS

Earl A.⁵ (son Harry⁴, son Seymour L.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born July 6, 1891, in Felton, Pa. He attended high school at Chester, Pa. His father removed

to Brooklyn, N. Y., in 1905. Earl A. chose electrical engineering as his occupation. He is operator for the Interborough Rapid Transit Ry. Co., of New York. He is unmarried.

Mr. Burroughs is a member of the Methodist Church.

HARRY SEYMOUR BURROUGHS, JR.

Harry S.⁵, son of Harry S., Sr., and Rebecca Burroughs, was born May 14, 1897, in Felton, Pa. His parents moved to Brooklyn, N. Y., when he was eight years old. He graduated from the Commercial High School at Brooklyn and is a stenographer and clerk by occupation. He is a member of the M. E. Church.

HELEN MAY BURROUGHS

Helen May⁵, only daughter of Harry S. and Rebecca Barton Burroughs, was born May 25, 1904, in Felton, Pa. She is attending the public schools of Brooklyn, N. Y., where her parents now reside.

Helen is a member of the Methodist Church.

FRANK L. BURROUGHS

Frank L.⁴ (son Seymour L.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born Sept. 18, 1878, at Lafayette, Ind., where he attended school. He was married June 6, 1904, at Brooklyn, N. Y., to Luemma Bond Hamilton, who was born Feb. 20, 1871, at Canjoharie, N. Y. Mr. Burroughs is chief clerk for The Morgan Steamship Lines of New York City. His residence is at 1017 Trinity Ave.

He attends the Episcopal Church.

CHILD.

Raymond Hamilton, b. Mar. 6, 1906, d. April 29, 1907.

ARTHUR GARFIELD BURROUGHS

Arthur G.⁴ (son Seymour L.³, son Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the youngest child of Seymour L. and Cassie B. Burroughs. His birthplace was Lafayette, Ind. The date of birth, Mar. 5, 1880. After graduating from the public schools of Lafayette he became an electrician. He was married April 9, 1903, at Brooklyn, N. Y., to Margaret Martin, who was born May 20, 1884, at Brooklyn N. Y. He is now electrical operator for the Interborough Rapid Transit Co. of New York City. His residence is No. 571 55th Street, Brooklyn. He is an Episcopalian.

CHILDREN.

Elizabeth Martin, b. Mar. 8, 1904, at Brooklyn.

Margaret Johnson, b. Mar. 31, 1906, at Brooklyn.

Viola Barton, b. Mar. 1, 1910, at Brooklyn.

MARY BURROUGHS

Mary Burroughs³ was the eighth child of Rebecca² and Asa Burroughs. She was born in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1841. The month and day of her birth are not known. Her life was spent in Cleveland. While visiting her sisters in Chicago, Ill., she was taken ill and died Nov. 28, 1866. Her remains lie buried in Erie. St. Cemetery, Cleveland, beside those of her father and mother.

She was a beautiful girl and possessed a lovely disposition. At the early age of 25 years her earthly life ended.

SARAH BURROUGHS GLAZE

Sarah Burroughs³ was the ninth of the children of Rebecca² and Asa Burroughs. Brief and incomplete is the record we can secure of her life. She was born in Cleveland, Ohio, probably in 1843. Her girlhood was spent in that city. She was married in ———, Ind., to John Glaze, who was born

in ———. They soon took up their residence in Chicago.

A niece of hers says: "I remember Aunt Sarah as a beautiful woman having a lovely disposition. She was a woman who hungered after motherhood. But that blessing was denied her. Continual brooding over her not having children unbalanced her mind and, although closely watched at all times, she one day eluded the watchful care of her friends and drowned herself in Lake Michigan."

FRANCES BURROUGHS NOLTON

Frances Maria³ (daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), youngest child of Rebecca and Asa Burroughs, was born in Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 10, 1845. Her childhood was spent in Cleveland. She was married at Chicago, Ill., April 18, 1865, to George H. Nolton, who was born in New York City.

Mr. Nolton was a railroad conductor by occupation. He is a member of the Congregational Church.

After a few years residence in Chicago, the family moved to Los Angeles, Cal. Here Mrs. Nolton died Dec. 28, 1885. She was a member of the Episcopal Church. Mr. Nolton is still living in Los Angeles.

CHILD.

Arthur Blackstone, b. June 21, 1866, d. Feb. 5, 1907.

ARTHUR BLACKSTONE NOLTON

Arthur B.⁴ (son Frances³, daughter Rebecca², daughter John Shepherd¹), was born in Chicago, Ill., June 21, 1866. A few years later his father moved with his family to Los Angeles, Cal. Here young Arthur was educated. He was married April 7, 1892, to Miss Wilson Potts, of Los Angeles.

Mr. Nolton was with the Sante Fe R. R. Co. for a number of years serving as assistant baggage master. He then engaged in real estate business and had built up a large business. He died Feb. 5, 1907. He was greatly loved and respected by all who knew him. Mr. and Mrs. Nolton and their three children were all members of the Congregational Church. The family still resides in Los Angeles.

CHILDREN.

Oliver Wilson, b. Sept. 17, 1894.

Lois Florence, b. June 2, 1897.

Sherrard Steward, b. June 2, 1897.

ISABELLE SHEPHERD PORTER

Isabelle² was next to the youngest of the children of John Shepherd¹. She was born in Laurel Sock, Pa., in 1803. When she was three years old the family moved to Canandaigua, N. Y. Here she grew to womanhood. She did not accompany her father and her sister, Margaret Engle, when they sought a home in the forests of Royalton, Ohio, but she and her sisters Rebecca and Sarah joined their father a few years later—about 1820. Isabelle was married at Royalton, but we cannot learn the name of her husband. One child was born to them, a girl, whom they named Elizabeth.

Isabelle's husband died and she married Sam Porter, in Cleveland. Two or three children were born to them, but the children died at an early age.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter lived in Cleveland for several years. Their home was on Erie Street, where Mrs. Porter died in 1853 or 1854. Her body was buried in the Erie Street Cemetery.

Her daughter, Elizabeth, married Ralph Wright, a molder by trade. He worked in the Cuyahoga Furnace for several

years. One daughter, Ruth, and two sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. Wright. The family moved to Detroit, Mich., and here we lose all trace of them.

Rumor says that one son married an actress and that he was shot and died.

Family of Sarah Shepherd Gordon

SARAH SHEPHERD GORDON

Sarah Shepherd² was the youngest child of John Shepherd¹. Her birthplace was Laurel Sock, Pa. The date of her birth was July 28, 1805. Her mother died when Sarah was a babe and left her to the care of her oldest sister, Margaret. Her girlhood was spent in Canandaigua, N. Y., to which place the family had removed in 1806. It was probably about 1820 when Sarah and her sisters Rebecca and Isabelle joined their father and their sister, Mrs. Margaret Engle, in their new home in Royalton, Ohio. Here Sarah was married in July, 1826, to William Gordon, who was born in Vermont, June 22, 1807.

They made their home in Royalton until 1836 when they removed to Tekonsha, Mich. Here they purchased a farm on which they resided until their death. William Gordon died Sept. 4, 1862. Mrs. Gordon died Nov. 28, 1882.

CHILDREN.

Margaret M., b. Jan. 22, 1828, d. Sept. 16, 1883.

Giles G., b. Dec. 26, 1829, d. 1864.

John S., b. May 18, 1831, d. —.

Lucy Irena, b. June 19, 1833, d. —.

Polly Rozelle, b. July 8, 1837.

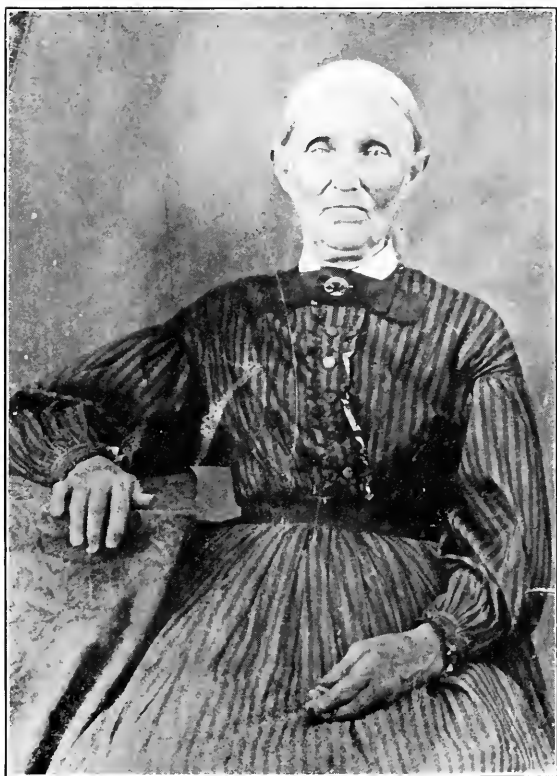
William H., b. Sept. 28, 1839.

Caroline M., b. Sept. 10, 1844.

The first four children were born in Royalton, Ohio. The others were born in Tekonsha, Mich.

MARGARET GORDON ENGLE

Margaret M.³ (daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹) was the oldest child of Sarah and William Gordon. She was born Jan. 22, 1828, in Royalton, Ohio. Her parents removed to Tekonsha, Mich., when she was eight years old.



SARAH SHEPHERD GORDON

She was married Oct. 30, 1847, to John Engle, a farmer of Tekonsha. They resided there until Mar. 2, 1879, when they removed to Petoskey, Mich., where Mrs. Engle died Sept. 16, 1883.

CHILDREN.

Albert, b. Aug. 11, 1850, d. Sept. 12, 1850.

William W., b. Nov. 12, 1851.

John E., b. Aug. 12, 1853, d. Sept. 15, 1853.

J. Elmer, b. Aug. 26, 1854.

Sarah M., b. Nov. 11, 1855.

Annie A., b. June 26, 1857, d. May 18, 1895.

Mary E., b. Dec. 26, 1858, d. Oct. 7, 1898.

Lewis E., b. Feb. 8, 1860, d. May 25, 1860.

Almond M., b. April 19, 1861, d. Oct. 1, 1861.

Eva J., b. July 18, 1865.

Alvin, b. Aug. 1, 1868, d. Sept. 3, 1878.

Olive M., b. Oct. 2, 1871.

John Engle was born Feb. 4, 1825, in Goram, Seneca Co., N. Y. He enlisted Sept. 16, 1861, in Co. E, First Michigan Infantry, at Ann Arbor, Mich. He served in the army until Sept. 16, 1864, when he was honorably discharged. He died at Petoskey, Mich., April 26, 1905.

WILLIAM W. ENGLE

William W.⁴ (son Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), second child of Margaret Gordon and John Engle, was born Nov. 12, 1851, in Tekonsha, Mich. We have no record of his early life, and do not know whom he married, or date of marriage. He has one child, a daughter. He lives in Kalamazoo, Mich.

CHILD.

Winnie, b. —.

JOHN ELMER ENGLE

John E.⁴ (son Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the fourth child of Margaret Gordon and John Engle. He was born Aug. 26, 1854, at Tekonsha, Mich. He was married on Thanksgiving day, 1879, to Adaline Katz, at Burlington, Mich. Soon after his marriage he went to Petoskey, Mich., where he resided until the death of his wife, Feb. 11, 1912. At present he is with his daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Pangborn, in Munising, Mich.

CHILDREN.

Earl A., b. Nov. 7, 1880.

Charlotte Pearl, b. April 23, 1884.

Cora Bell, b. April 7, 1887.

Horace Chester, b. Aug. 7, 1889.

EARL A. ENGLE

Earl A.⁵ (son John⁴, son Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), the oldest child of John E. and Adaline Engle, was born Nov. 7, 1880, at Petoskey, Mich. He was married to Rose Norton on Nov. 8, 1902. They reside at Hastings, Mich.

CHILDREN.

Dorothy, b. —, d. —.

Richard Rasco, b. —.

Arthur, b. —.

Arline Ione, b. —.

CHARLOTTE ENGLE PANGBORN

Charlotte Pearl⁵ (daughter John E.⁴, son Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Engle, was born April 23, 1884, in Petoskey, Mich., where she lived until her marriage, Nov. 20, 1902, with Claude C. Pangborn. They reside at Munising, Mich.

CHILDREN.

Wanda Lucille, b. ——.
 Marcia, b. ——.
 Newel, b. —, d. ——.
 Everett, b. ——.
 Rea Adaline, b. —, d. ——.
 Maxine, b. —.

CORA BELL ENGLE

Cora Bell⁵, the younger daughter of John E. and Adaline Engle, was born in Petoskey, Mich., April 7, 1887. She attended school in Petoskey. She is unmarried and resides with her sister, Mrs. Charlotte Pangborn, in Munising, Mich.

HORACE CHESTER ENGLE

Horace Chester⁵ (son John E.⁴, son Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the youngest of the children of John E. and Adaline Engle. His birthplace was Petoskey, Mich., and the date of his birth Aug. 7, 1889. He married Miss Pearl Detwiler.

CHILD.

May, b. —.

SARAH ENGLE LEONARD

Sarah M.⁴ (daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹) is a daughter of Margaret Gordon and John Engle. She was born Nov. 11, 1855, on a farm near Tekonsha, Mich. She became the wife of Charles Leonard, who was born Dec. 30, 1854. They went to Burlington, Mich., to reside.

Mr. Leonard died June 9, 1909.

CHILDREN.

Roy M., b. Nov. 27, 1878.

Mable M., b. Aug. 15, 1883.

Darwin M., b. Feb. 4, 1887.

Mable was married in 1906, but we do not know the name of her husband.

ANNIE A. ENGLE FRENCH

Annie Augusta⁴ (daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the sixth child of Margaret Gordon and John Engle. She was born in Tekonsha, Mich. The date of her birth was June 26, 1857. We do not know the date of her marriage to Mr. French. Five children were born to them. Mrs. French died May 18, 1895.

CHILDREN.

Carrie M., b. —.

Edwin, b. —.

Avery, b. —.

Effie, b. —.

Warren, b. —.

MARY E. ENGLE BACON

Mary E.⁴ (daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), the seventh child of Margaret and John Engle, was born Dec. 26, 1858, at Tekonsha, Mich. Her early years were spent on her father's farm there.

She became the bride of William P. Bacon on Jan 1, 1877. They made their home in Benton Harbor, Mich. Mr. Bacon is a contractor and builder. He still lives in Benton Harbor. Mrs. Bacon died Oct. 7, 1898.

CHILDREN.

Orson E., b. July 14, 1879.

William P., b. June 26, 1880.

Fred B., b. Aug. 30, 1885.

Frank, b. July 21, 1888, d. Oct. 1888.

ORSON E. BACON

Orson E.⁵ (son Mary⁴, daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the oldest son of Mary E. and William P. Bacon, and was born July 14, 1879. Having secured a common school education he learned the carpenter's trade and follows that occupation. He was married April 24, 1899, to Miss Agnes L. Kingsland. They reside in Benton Harbor, Mich. They have no children.

WILLIAM PIERCE BACON, JR.

William P.⁵ (son Mary⁴, daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), second son of Mary E. and William P. Bacon, was born June 26, 1880. He is a carpenter by occupation. He was married to Miss Lillian M. Peters on Oct. 7, 1907. Their home is in Benton Harbor, Mich.

CHILDREN.

Mirth Louise, b. April 23, 1909.

Alton Kellog, b. Jan. 3, 1911, d. Feb. 2, 1911.

FRED B. BACON

Fred B.⁵ (son Mary⁴, daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the third child of Mary E. and William P. Bacon, Sr. His birth occurred Aug 30, 1885. Having finished his education in the grammar school he chose carpentry for his occupation. On Nov. 25, 1908 he took as wife Miss Ethel Drehr. Their home is in Benton Harbor, Mich.

CHILDREN.

Hazel Irene, b. Nov. 15, 1909.

Florence Ruth, b. Dec. 20, 1912.

EVA J. ENGLE CARR

Eva J.⁴ (daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the tenth of the children of Margaret Gordon and John Engle. She joined the large family circle July 18, 1865, at Tekonsha, Mich. On May 2nd, 1879, her parents removed to Petoskey, Mich. She enjoyed the privileges and shared the duties in the Engle home till Nov. 12, 1884, when she became the bride of Frank Conklin Carr, a young carpenter in Jamesville, N. Y. For a few years they resided in Jamesville. They then returned to Petoskey, Mich., where they still reside.

CHILDREN.

Edward Leon, b. Dec. 6, 1885.

Bessie Evelyn, b. Feb. 10, 1890.

Frank J., b. Nov. 21, 1894.

Jessie C., b. Aug. 30, 1897, d. Sept. 28, 1898.

EDWARD LEON CARR

Edward L.⁵ (son Eva⁴, daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the oldest of the children of Eva J. and Frank C. Carr. He was born Dec. 6, 1885. He attended school in Petoskey, Mich., until he finished the tenth grade, or second year in high school. He was married June 15, 1908, to Miss Edna Piehl, of Petoskey. Mr. Carr is a farmer and resides near Petoskey.

CHILD.

Lester Leeland, b. Dec. 11, 1911.

BESSIE E. CARR WINTERS

Bessie E.⁵ (daughter Eva⁴, daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹) daughter of Eva J. and Frank C. Carr, was born Feb. 10, 1890. She was educated in the schools of Petoskey, Mich., passing through nine grades.

On Oct. 5, 1908, she became the bride of Joseph F. Winters, of Petoskey. They reside on a farm near Petoskey.

CHILDREN.

Winifred Margaret, b. Oct. 20, 1909.

Leonard J., b. Sept. 10, 1911.

FRANK J. CARR

Frank J.⁵ (son Eva⁴, daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), the second son of Eva J. and Frank C. Carr, was born Nov. 21, 1894, in Petoskey, Mich. After passing through ten grades of the Petoskey schools he entered the employ of the Adams Express Co., and is still with that company. He resides with his parents in Petoskey.

OLIVE M. ENGLE HASTINGS

Olive M.⁴ (daughter Margaret³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the youngest of the children of Margaret Gordon and John Engle. She was born Oct. 2, 1871, in Tekonsha, Mich. The family removed to Petoskey, Mich., in 1879. She was married April 10, 1890, to John Rutherford Hastings. They resided in Petoskey with the exception of 1900-1902, when they lived in Mackinaw City. In 1912 they removed to Conway, Mich. Mr. Hastings is a farmer.

CHILDREN.

Margaret Isabel, b. May 29, 1892, d. May 29, 1892.

Mildred Geraldine, b. Aug. 27, 1895, d. Aug. 11, 1896.

Hazel Melissa, b. Dec. 14, 1896.

Zela Evelyn, b. Sept. 9, 1901, d. Sept. 11, 1901.

Blanch Elizabeth, b. Sept. 14, 1904.

Esther Janette, b. July 13, 1908.

Ruth Lucille, b. Dec. 13, 1909.

GILES G. GORDON

Giles G.³ (son Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the oldest son of Sarah and William Gordon. He was born Dec. 26, 1829, in Royalton, Ohio. Seven years later the family sought a new home in Tekonsha, Mich. Here Giles' early life was spent. He was married in 1860 to Miss Hannah Lucas, of Tekonsha. They soon went to Girard, Mich., to reside. In 1862 Mr. Gordon enlisted in the 19th Michigan Infantry. He was discharged in 1863 because of sickness. He died in 1864. He left one child.

CHILD.

Walter's relatives have lost trace of him and do not know where he is.

JOHN S. GORDON

John S.³ (son Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), son of Sarah and William Gordon, was born May 18, 1831, in Royalton, Ohio. When he was five years old his father removed to Tekonsha, Mich., where John was reared on his father's farm. He was married in February, 1858, to Miss Elizabeth Amy. She died in 1861, and in 1862 he was married to Miss Hannah Ellis. He separated from her and on Feb. 16, 1873, was married to Cynthia Ward.

Mr. Gordon enlisted in September, 1861, in the First Mich. Infantry. He was discharged in May, 1862, for disability, but he soon re-enlisted in the Michigan Mechanics and served until the close of the war.

CHILD.

Charles A., b. Jan. 11, 1859.

CHARLES A. GORDON

Charles A.⁴ (son John³, son Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the only child of John S. and Elizabeth Gordon. He was born Jan. 11, 1859, in Tekonsha, Calhoun Co., Mich.

He took up railroad work when twenty years of age and has been employed in it since. He is in the train department. He was married Feb. 26, 1889, to Miss Lina A. Layman, at Muskegon, Mich. She was born in Germany, Jan. 13, 1871. They reside in Grand Rapids, Mich., at 1248 Oakdale Ave.

CHILDREN.

Edward T., b. Mar. 6, 1891, in Muskegon.
William P., b. June 19, 1893, d. Aug. 19, 1893.
Henrietta V., b. Dec. 11, 1894.
Trecy E., b. April 16, 1897.
Maybelle L., b. Mar. 19, 1900.
Margerette, b. Feb. 15, 1903.
Louisa, b. Feb. 2, 1907.

LUCY I. GORDON McDONALD

Lucy Irena³ (daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the fourth of the children of Sarah and William Gordon. She was the last addition to the family before its removal to Tekonsha, Mich., her birth occurring June 19, 1833, in Royalton, Ohio. Of a half century of her life we have no record. She was married Jan. 14, 1884, to William McDonald, a farmer. Their home was near Tekonsha village. She died March 17, 1909.

She left one child, a son, who goes by the name of Albert Gordon. Since the death of his mother, he has resided with his aunt, Mrs. Matilda Kies, in Tekonsha, Mich.

POLLY R. GORDON GILLISPIE

Polly Rozella³ (daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), the fifth child of Sarah and William Gordon, was born July 8, 1837, in Tekonsha, Mich. Here her early life passed in attending school and performing her share of the home duties. Rozella, as she was called, became the bride of Calvin Gillispie,

Apr. 24, 1859. They settled on a farm near Tekonsha where, with the exception of the year 1861, spent in Clarence, Mich., they resided until the death of Mrs. Gillispie. She died Feb. 28, 1880. He died Oct. 14, 1896.

Mr. Gillispie was born in Spring Arbor, Jackson Co., Mich., April 13, 1836.

CHILDREN.

Ada, b. Mar. 4, 1860.

Clara, b. Feb. 2, 1863, d. Mar. 28, 1896.

ADA GILLISPIE HOFFMAN-MERRIFIELD

Ada G.⁴ (daughter Polly R.³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the elder of the two daughters of Rozella and Calvin Gillispie. She was born Mar. 4, 1860, on the farm in Tekonsha, Mich., where she grew to womanhood. She was married Oct. 19, 1878, to Louis Hoffman, and had one child by him. She was married Oct. 9, 1889, to Charles Byron Merrifield, who was born Dec. 29, 1844.

Mr. Hoffman was a fine musician and was leader of a band. Mr. Merrifield was engaged in the livery stable business in Union City, Mich. He died Nov. 10, 1909.

Mrs. Merrifield is a member of the M. E. Church. She resides in Union City.

CHILDREN.

Nettie Hoffman, b. Aug. 9, 1880.

Vera Merrifield, b. June 15, 1903.

NETTIE HOFFMAN MARTIN

Nettie⁵ (daughter Ada⁴, daughter P. Rozella³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), the daughter of Ada and Louis Hoffman, was born Aug. 9, 1880, in Union City, Mich. She was married to Charles Martin Oct. 4, 1889. They are

farmers and reside near Union City, Mich. Mrs. Martin is a member of the M. E. Church in Union City.

CHILDREN.

Flavil, b. Sept. 2, 1902.

Ila Laurene, b. Feb. 8, 1908.

CLARA GILLISPIE DOYLE

Clara G.⁴ (daughter P. Rozella³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the younger daughter of Rozella and Calvin Gillispie. Her birthday was Feb. 2, 1863, and her childhood home, Tekonsha, Mich. She became the wife of James Doyle July 15, 1884. One child, Fern, came to gladden their home. Four years later, March 28, 1896, Mrs. Doyle was called from earth to heaven.

CHILD.

Fern, b. Dec. 3, 1892.

FERN DOYLE

Fern⁵, only child of Clara and James Doyle, was born Dec. 3, 1892. Her mother died when Fern was four years old. Her uncle, John Doyle, adopted the motherless little one and has reared her as his own daughter. They reside in Tekonsha, Mich.

WILLIAM H. GORDON

William H.³ (son Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), was the youngest son of Sarah and William Gordon. His birthplace was Tekonsha, Mich., and the date of birth, Sept. 28, 1839. His boyhood was spent on his father's farm. He and his brothers seem to have inherited the patriotic spirit of their Revolutionary grandsire, for all three served in the Union Army during the Civil War. William H. Gordon enlisted in Co. E,

Sixth Michigan Heavy Artillery, in Sept., 1861, and served until September, 1865.

Mr. Gordon was married to Miss Jane Gleason in 1863. Mrs. Gordon died in June, 1869. Mr. Gordon was married in 1874 to Mrs. Laura Wires, who died in June, 1879. On April 22nd, 1880, he was married to Miss Emma Beckwith. He died in Tekonsha, Oct. 22, 1897. His wife, Emma, is living in Battle Creek, Mich. She married George Price.

CHILDREN.

By second wife,

Nellie B., b. Sept. 13, 1875.

Edwin Clarence, b. Nov. 22, 1876.

By third wife,

Effie B., b. Sept. 4, 1881.

Della E., b. Sept. 19, 1884.

Louisa M., b. July 25, 1889.

Frederick M., b. July 26, 1896.

Nellie B. Gordon, the oldest of the children of William H. Gordon, was born in Tekonsha, Mich., Sept. 13, 1875. She is unmarried, and resides in Marshall, Mich.

EDWIN CLARENCE GORDON

Edwin Clarence⁴ (son William³, son Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the second child of William H. Gordon. He was born in Tekonsha, Mich., Nov. 22, 1876. On Aug. 17, 1898, he married Miss Isabelle Palmer, of Tekonsha. He is a farmer and resided at Eckford, Mich., for a time, but now resides in Marshall.

CHILDREN.

Laura, b. Dec. 25, 1899.

Nettie, b. July 4, 1901.

Clarence Edwin, b. Mar. 9, 1903.

Beatrice, b. Sept. 9, 1909.

Infant son, b. Jan. 22, 1912, d. Jan. 24, 1912.

EFFIE B. GORDON ROBBINS

Effie⁴ (daughter William³, son Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), daughter of William H. and Emma Gordon, was born Sept. 4, 1881, at Tekonsha, Mich. On July 3, 1900, she became the bride of George Robbins, a farmer. They resided at Olivet, Mich., for a time. They bought a farm at Eaton Rapids, Mich., where they now reside.

CHILDREN.

Ola Margaret, b. July 2, 1901.

Nina Elizabeth, b. Aug. 9, 1902.

Thelma, b. Nov. 2, 1907.

Hazel Arlene, b. Nov. 12, 1909.

DELLA E. GORDON CONRAD

Della E.⁴ (daughter William³, son Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the second daughter of William H. and Emma Gordon. Her birthplace is Tekonsha, Mich., and the date of her birth, Sept. 18, 1884. She was married in July, 1910, to John W. Conrad, of Kalamazoo, Mich. They reside at 214 E. Frank St., Kalamazoo.

They have no children.

LOUISA M. GORDON MURRAY

Louisa M.⁴ (daughter William³, son Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the youngest daughter of William H. and Emma Gordon and was born July 25, 1889, in Tekonsha, Mich. She became the wife of Bert G. Murray, on Aug. 29, 1907. They reside in Kalamazoo, Mich., where Mr. Murray is employed in the M. C. Freight Office.

CHILD.

Geraldine, b. Nov. 21, 1909.

FREDERICK M. GORDON

Frederick M.⁴, is the youngest child of William H. and Emma Gordon. Tekonsha, Mich., was his birthplace and early home. July 26, 1896 is the date of his birth. He resides at Hillsdale, Mich., where he is learning the machinist's trade.

C. MATILDA GORDON KISE

Caroline Matilda³ (daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the youngest child of Sarah and William Gordon. She was born Sept. 10, 1844, in Tekonsha, Mich. She was married Sept. 2, 1869, in Burlington, Mich., to Nelson Kise, who came from Lancaster, Wis. They made their home in the village of Tekonsha, where Mrs. Kise has since resided with the exception of the years 1883-1887, which they spent on a farm in Wisconsin. Mr. Kise was employed in railroad work. He died Oct. 19, 1890.

CHILDREN.

Jessie M., b. May 18, 1870.

Sarah R., b. Mar. 4, 1874.

Frank N., b. Jan. 20, 1879.

JESSIE M. KISE SPENCER-HEPLER

Jessie M.⁴ (daughter Matilda³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), is the oldest child of C. Matilda and Nelson Kise. She was born in Tekonsha, Mich., May 18, 1870. She was married Sept. 7, 1892, to Albert Spencer, of Girard, Branch Co., Mich. Her husband died in 1903 leaving her with three little children to care for. She returned to her mother's house in Tekonsha, where she supported her little ones by her own labors.

She was again married on Jan. 4, 1910, to George Hepler. Their home is in Homer, Mich.



C. MATILDA GORDON KISE AND GRANDCHILDREN

CHILDREN.

By first marriage.

Hilda Belle, b. Aug. 1, 1894.

Irene R., b. Feb. 21, 1897.

Alwilda, b. June 23, 1899.

By second marriage.

A son, b. Mar. 23, 1912.

HILDA B. SPENCER HEPLER

Hilda Belle⁵ (daughter Jessie⁴, daughter C. Matilda³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), the oldest of the children of Jessie M. and Albert Spencer, was born Aug. 1, 1894, in Girard, Mich. In 1903 her mother returned to Tekonsha, Mich., with her fatherless children. Hilda Belle became the wife of Clifford Hepler on Feb. 21, 1911. They reside in Homer, Mich., 12 miles from Tekonsha.

CHILD.

A son, b. July 4, 1913.

SARAH B. KISE BROTT

Sarah B.⁴ (daughter C. Matilda³, daughter Sarah², daughter John Shepherd¹), second daughter of C. Matilda and Nelson Kise, was born in Tekonsha, Mich., Mar. 4, 1874. She was married Sept. 12, 1900, to Elmer Brott, a carpenter. They went to Battle Creek, Mich., to reside, where Mr. Brott was employed in the shops. In the spring of 1912, they left Battle Creek because of Mr. Brott's poor health. They now reside in Grayling, Mich.

CHILD.

Claire E., b. Feb. 28, 1902.

FRANK N. KISE

Frank N.⁴, only son of Matilda and Nelson Kise, was born Jan. 20, 1879, in Tekonsha, Mich., where he still resides with his mother. He has a livery stable. He is unmarried.

IN CONCLUSION

This book has been written to gather up the fragments of our family history that nothing be lost. So that every one having the Shepherd blood in his veins may know whence it came, and may be able to derive some moral and spiritual help from the examples of many who being dead yet speak to all who value the lessons of the past and are able to profit by the experience of those who have gone before.

We wish to preserve in our homes the records of our ancestors, not that we may worship their *names*, but that we may cherish in our hearts any valuable traits we have inherited from them, and avoid, if possible, any of the faults and follies into which they may have fallen.

Many have long waited for this volume, and perhaps some have grown impatient over the delay. Few persons have any adequate idea of the labor required to complete the work. The compiler has given his labor without expecting any compensation but the satisfaction of perpetuating the memory of the good, most of whom have gone to their reward, and the hope that the examples here exhibited may aid many in future generations to prove themselves worthy descendants of an honored ancestry.

No one can be more sensible of the defects and errors in this volume than the compiler, who has given so much time and labor to the preparation of it. Some letters sent him were written so carelessly that one had to guess at the letters in the names. Sometimes two or three persons sending records of the same family gave him different names and dates for the same person or the same event. How was he to know which was correct?

Several blank pages have been added to the book that each family may correct errors that may have been made, and also that they may record for themselves changes which may occur in future years.

And now this volume is sent forth to the many relatives whom, not having seen, yet in writing the records of their lives, your compiler has learned to love.

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